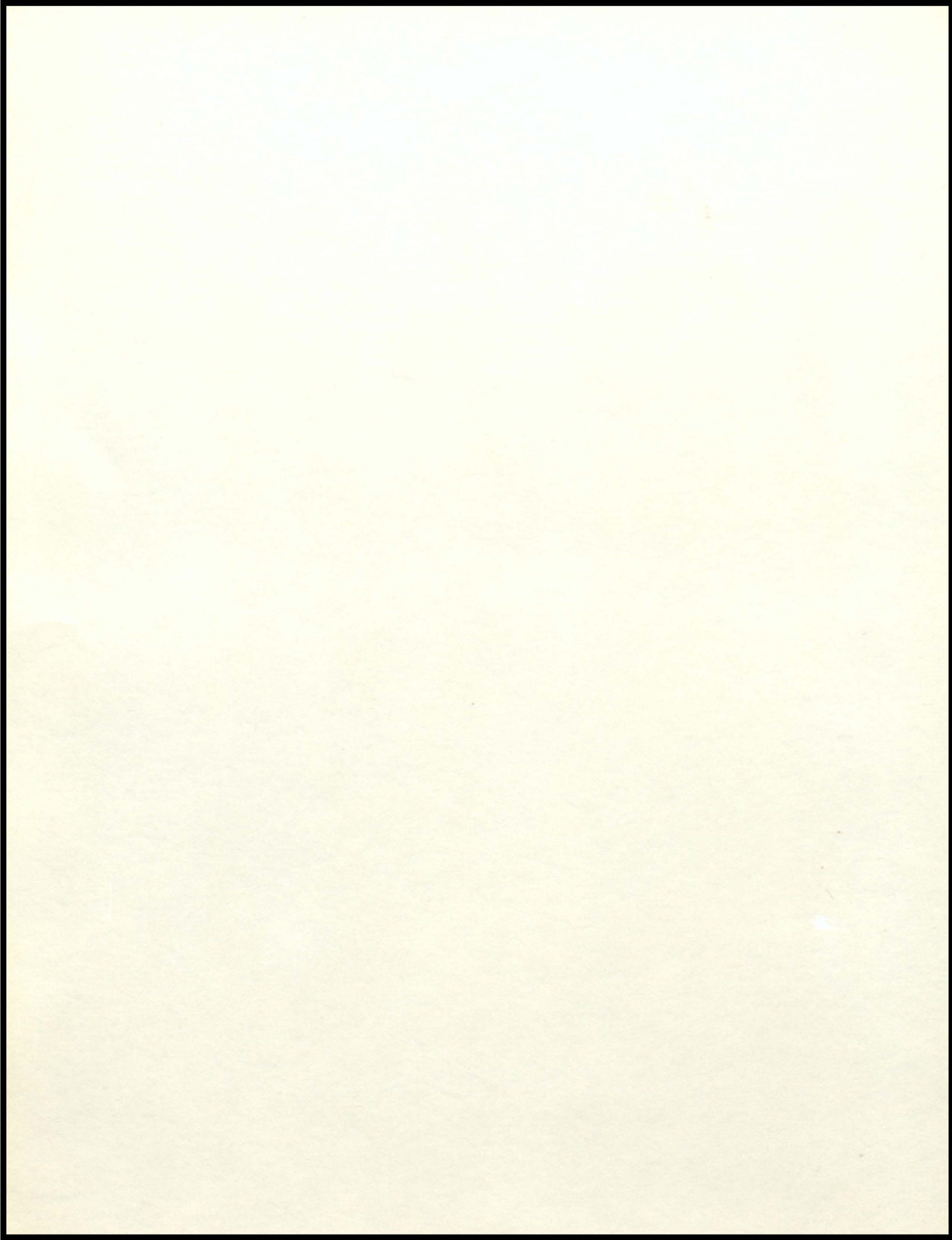


West Side
1985







West Side High School
Newark, New Jersey 07103

Another Year
Another Story

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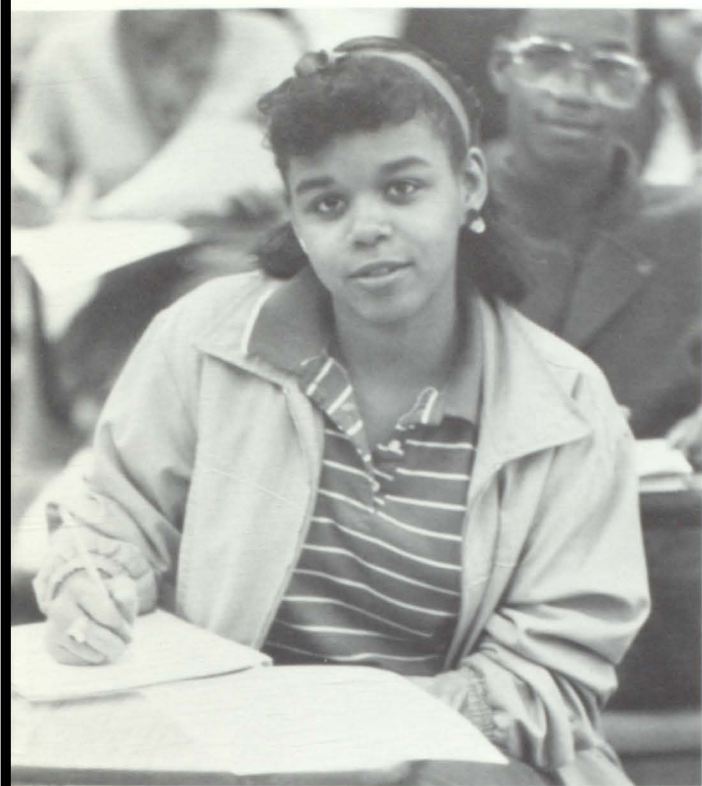
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ALMA MATER

In morning light and evening fall,
Through all the days of coming years—
In times when glowing futures call—
In hearts with laughter and with tears
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High.
Our love for you will never die,
Oh, Alma Mater, West Side High!

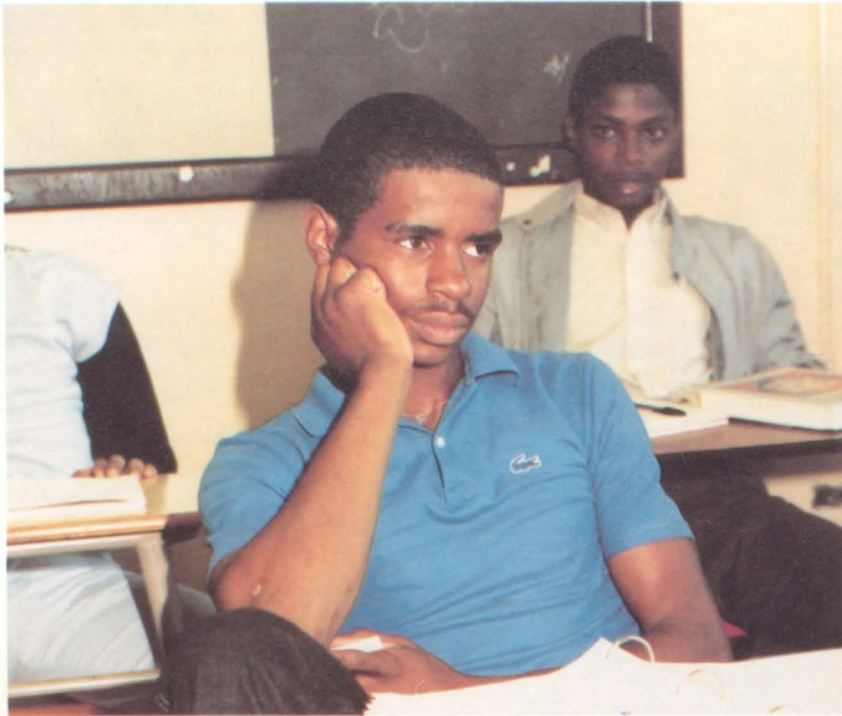




The story of West Side High School is filled with great expectations to become the best we can be.

We wonder with excitement what the future holds for us, and we are impatient to reach for it. We will reach for and take as much as we can and mold it to our satisfaction. Another year has come and gone. Another class is graduating, but this time it holds a special meaning for us because it is our class that is graduating. We're going in new directions, many directions, all directions. As long as we have the courage to face another day, then we can face the future. We are leaving West Side High and nothing can stop us because the *Sky's The Limit!*





Doing Things The Usual Way

Talking
Too much home work
Chewing gum in class
Inoperative water fountains
Day dreaming
Not taking gym
No lockers
Wearing hats in school
Wearing coats in class



YESTERDAY'S DREAM TODAY'S SUCCESS

This was yesterday's dream
The dream of seeing
Myself on top of the world

This was yesterday's dream
The dream of being
Someone different,
Someone special.

It is today's success.
Now I am someone,
Someone different and special.

It is today's success
I am on top of the world
With all the richness
And the vitality which
I wear so boldly.

It was yesterday's dream
Which makes
Today's success.

..... Bernice Hines
Class of 1984





A Limited Edition

There were several memorable occasions that transpired during our senior year. The "Passing of the Lamp" from the out-going class to the incoming one has been a tradition at West Side for many years, and each senior awaits the Day with anxiety and anticipation. Also, on the same day, awards are bestowed to many deserving recipients.

"Spirit Week", in which we relived the "50's", dressed-up in our punk rock, dressed as youngsters, and topped it off in our fashions of today, was fun as well as educational.

The culmination of our unforgettable events was the crowning of Miss West Side High 1984-85, Miss Robin Bogan.





Class of 1985...

Class Song:

It's Our Turn

Flower:

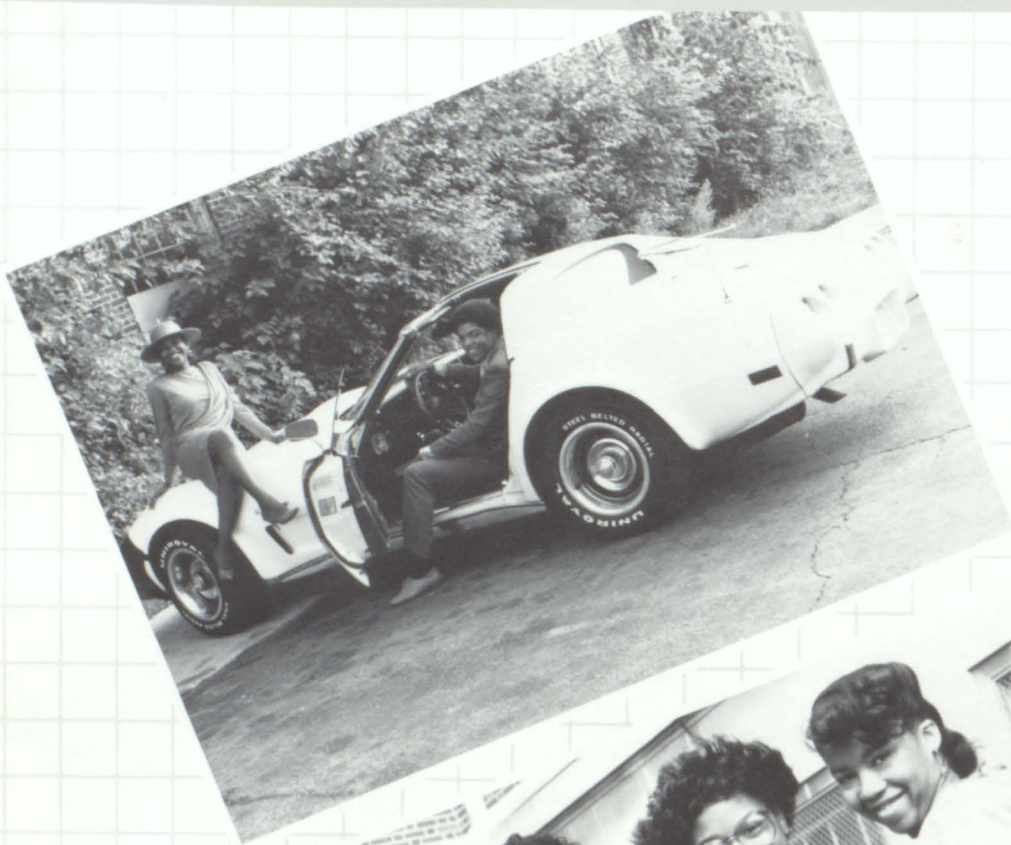
Red Rose

Motto:

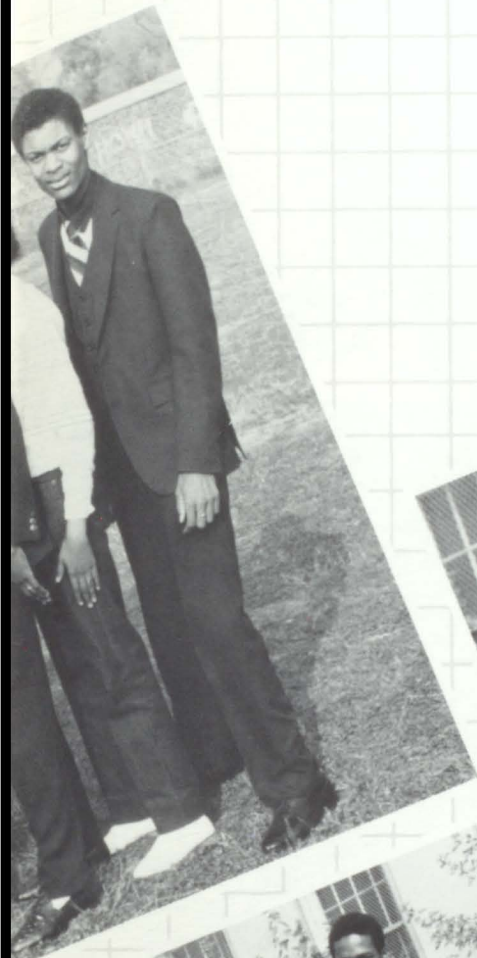
Education And
Ambitions Thrive
In The Class of '85"





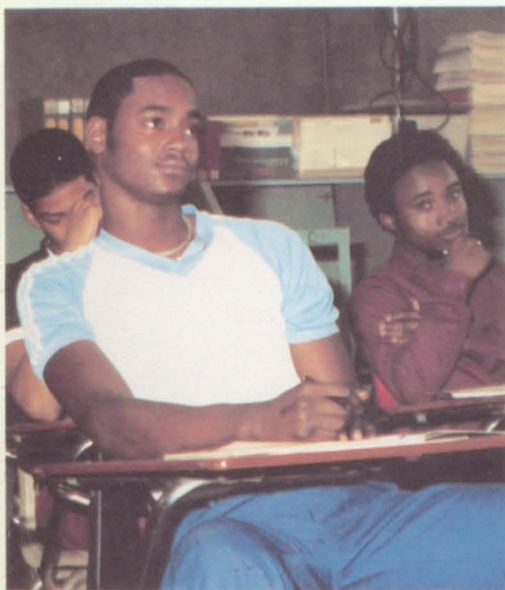


Fashion



**West Side
Seniors
Are Mature,
Ambitious And
Determined**

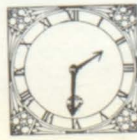
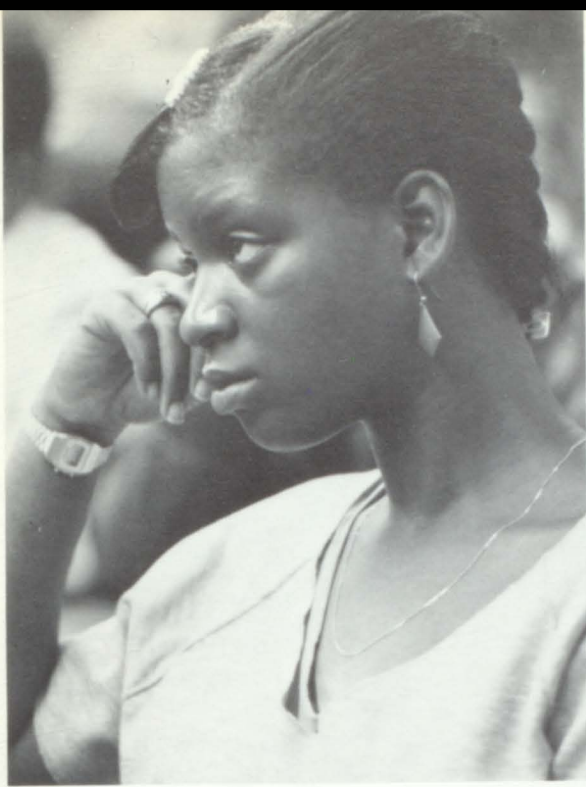




**We Will
SUCCEED**

All In A Senior's Day





THE TIME'S 8:20—OUR DAY'S
BEGUN WE'VE REACHED
2:30—OUR DAY IS DONE

Seniors Class Officers



Deborah Wilkerson, President



Shawne Edghill, Vice President



Stephanie Barnes
Treasurer



Delphia Heyward-Bey
Business Manager



Robin Bogan
Secretary



Sr. Class Advisor & Committee

TO THE CLASS OF 1985

I have enjoyed working with you for the past two years. May you succeed at any goal that you will choose or have chosen.

Please keep in touch and think of me always.

Fondly,

Mrs. Bettye Tyson

MRS. BETTYE TYSON
ADVISOR



Back Row: Sherri Gregory, Michele Wilkerson, Stevonne Henry, Sharon Hayden, Michele Kimber, Pernell Thompson, Felicia Crawford, Gregory Lewis, David Clark, Cassandra Miller. Front Row: Kim Davis, Michele Booker, Carol White, Johnnie M. James, Robin Bogan, Delphia Heyward-Bey, Robert Coston, Paula Leak, Sheila Harris, Deanna Morris

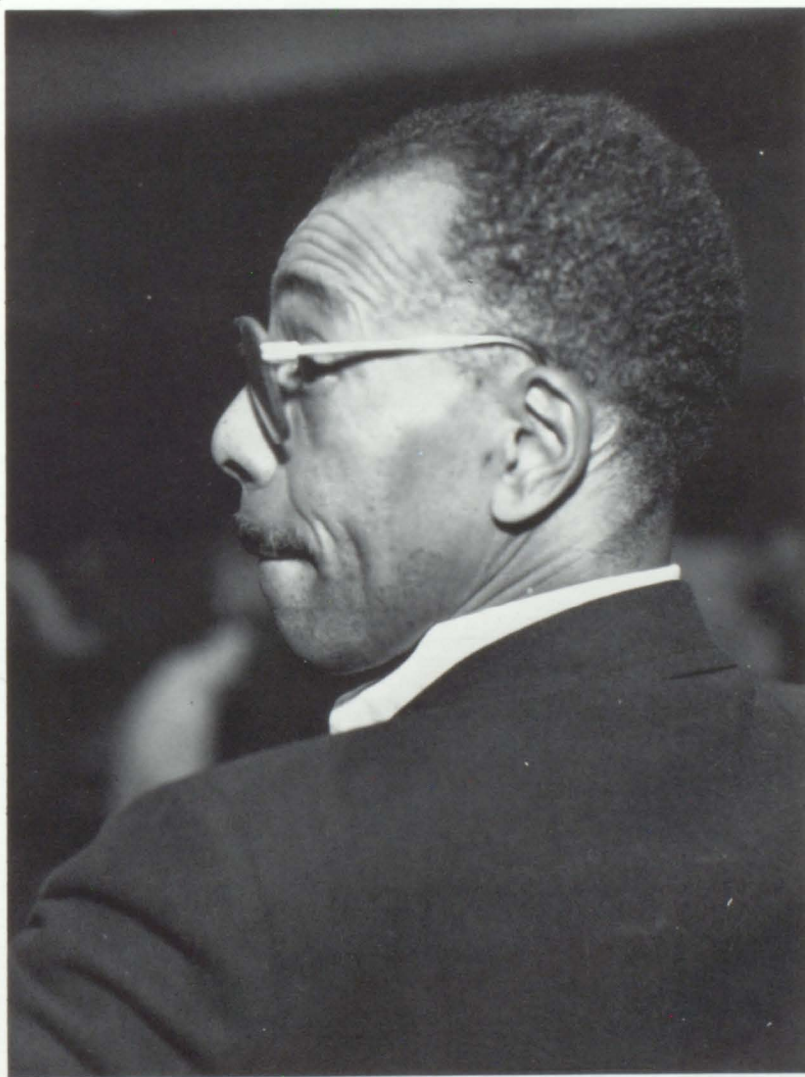
THE MILLBROOK SCHOOL STORE

Branch Offices

Paris
Stockholm
Park City, Utah
San Francisco
Los Angeles
Virgin Islands

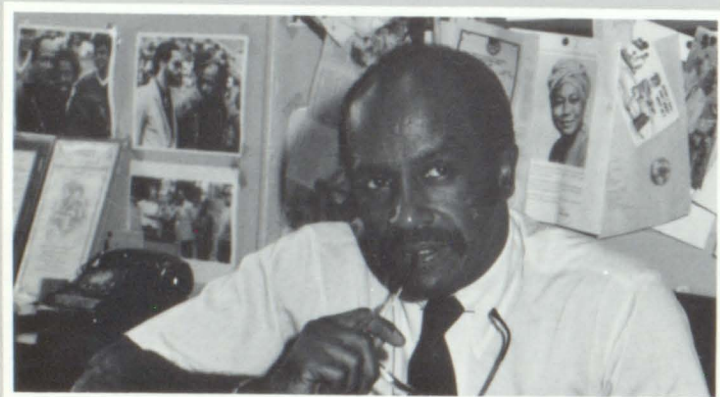


Faculty





Mr. Potts perusing important document

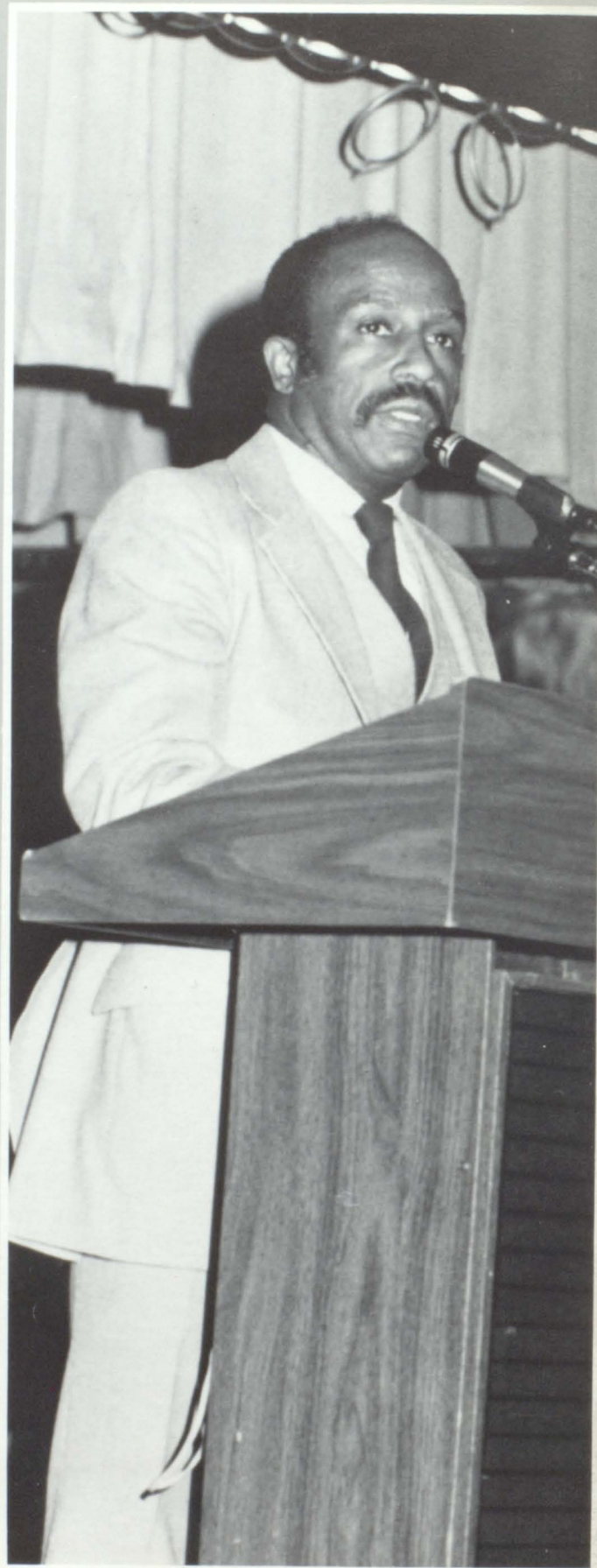


Mr. Potts thinking about today's activities

Throughout this book, there are pictures of many students and faculty, but not too many pages depicting the services of our Principal. Therefore, we are taking the opportunity NOW to thank you, Mr. Potts, for your educational guidance, kind consideration, and the many hours you devoted to our Class functions and sporting events.

Good luck in your endeavors at West Side High.

Remember us Always,
THE CLASS OF 1985



MR. NATHANIEL L. POTTS, PRINCIPAL



Mr. Potts, Mrs. Cato and seniors at Seniors' show



MRS. MARY BENNETT
VICE PRINCIPAL



MRS. CARMELLA PALLOTTA
VICE PRINCIPAL

Up Close And Personal

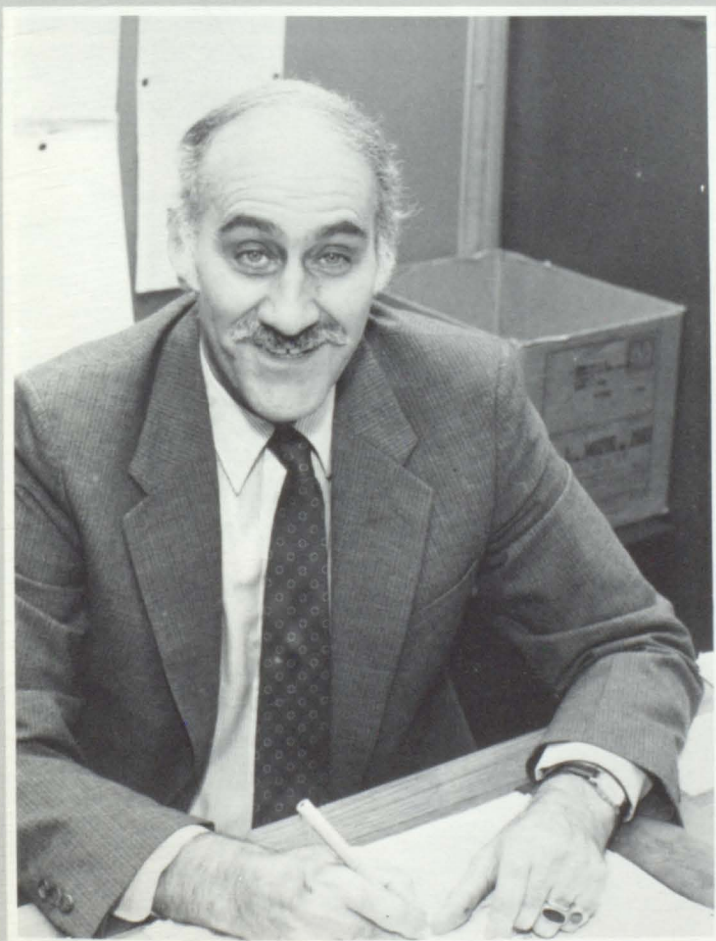
On the first floor of West Side High School near Room 103, there is an office of the disciplinarian and scheduling officer. At the desk you will find a tall, firm, and respected individual.

Mr. Frank Poloso came to West Side via East Side in September 1979, and since that time, he has won the hearts of many students.

A former football star at Barringer High School and an outstanding basketball player at Seton Hall University, this great athlete can still chase students in spite of his injured back.

We the Class of 1985, wish you, Mr. Peloso, the best at West Side High, and in future years we will look through this yearbook and remember you with respect, warmth and affection.

FONDLY,
THE CLASS OF 1985



MR. FRANK PELOSO
VICE PRINCIPAL

Chairpersons



Mrs. E. Domigen
English Dept.



Mrs. F. Kaplan
Guidance Dept.



Mr. R. Kunda
Science Dept.



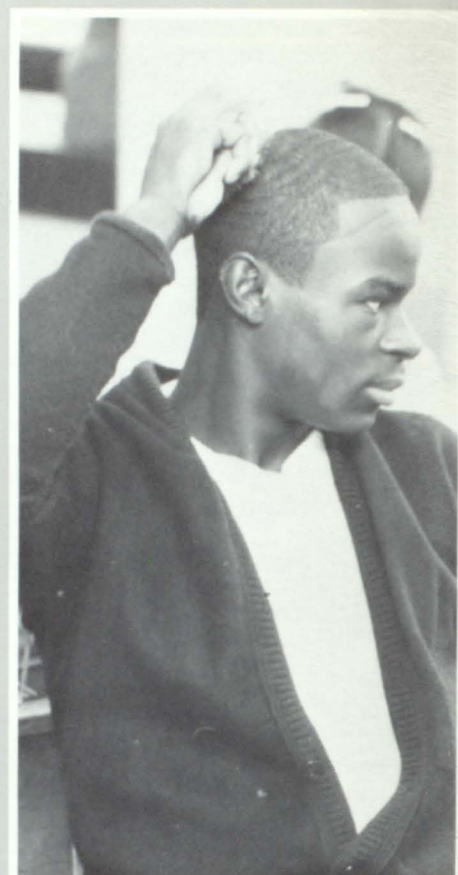
Mr. J. Lynch
Math Dept.



Mr. W. Mallory
Hlth. & Phys. Ed.
Dept.



Mr. C. Malone
Soc. Studies & F. L.
Depts.



James Hudley awaits his turn in the
English Office.



Mr. J. Petrozzino
Prac. Arts Dept.

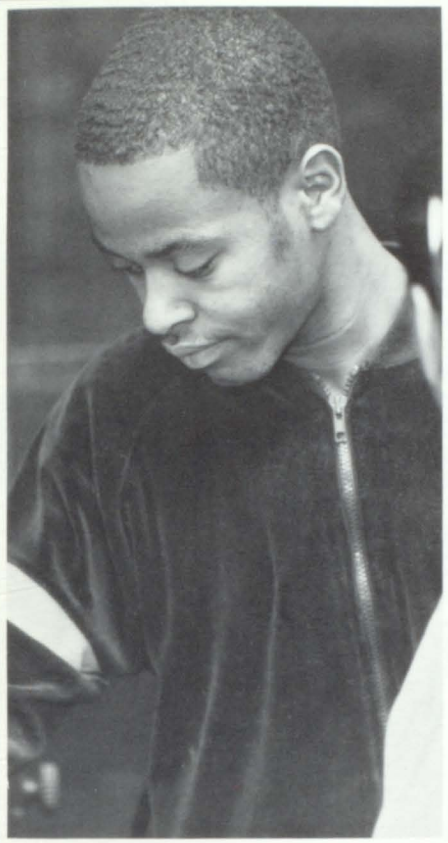


Mr. J. Saperstein
Business & Music
Depts.



Mr. Saperstein stands with two recipients of leadership awards from Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School, Sharon Hayden and Chimene Williams.

Guidance Counselors



Clarence Jones listens patiently to his Guidance Counselor.



Mr. J. Avnet



Mrs. M. Austin



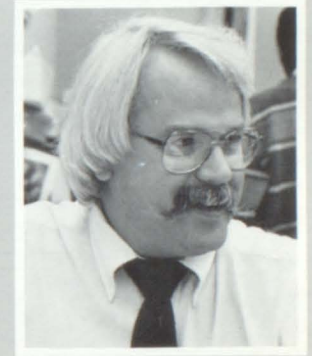
Mrs. N. Bland



Mrs. J. Reynolds



Mr. L. Sista



Mr. A. Watkins



Mr. F. Williams
Drug Ed. Counselor



Mrs. R. Gillet
School Nurse



Mrs. S. Thomas
Social Worker



Mrs. N. White



FACULTY



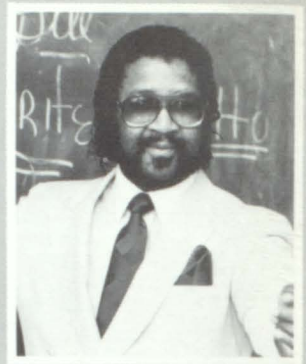
Ms. Jessie, Advisor of Junior Class, with newly elected Class officers.



Mr. F. Abdelgany
Mathematics



Mr. A. Adler
Mathematics



Mr. R. Alexander
Social Studies



Mrs. J. Anderson
Physical Education



Mr. J. R. Andrews
Social Studies



Mr. A. Bernstein
Science



Mr. B. Blackshear
Mathematics



Mrs. S. Brantley
Home Economics



Ms. C. Briscoe
Physical Education



Ms. G. Brock
English



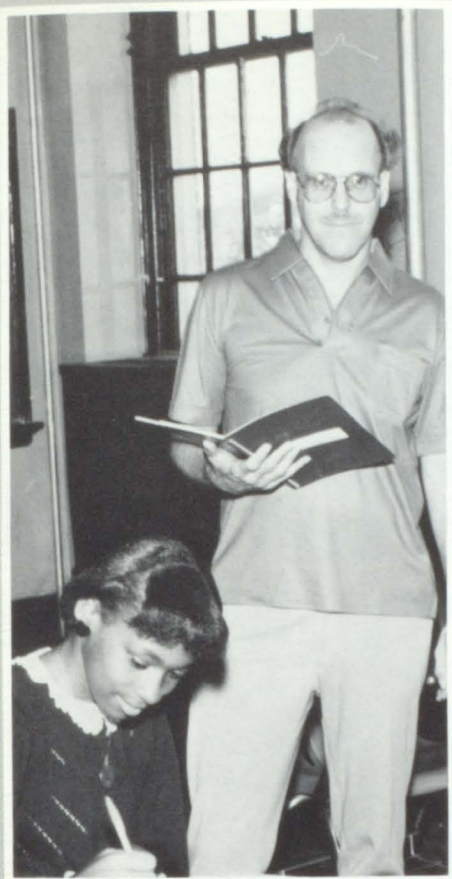
Mrs. I. Brown
Librarian



Mr. A. Buonomo
Physical Education

CAN YOU IDENTIFY THESE FAVORITE EXPRESSIONS?

Young people, please!
Your future plans should include college.
Where are you coming from?
You're kidding!
You must come to class on time!
Are You Kidding?
Do the best you can.
Ladies, please do not chew gum.
Do your best.
Think big, plan big, and have big things to accomplish.
Is it 2:30 yet?
You've got to read!
For your assignment . . .
Bring up your homework.
Chill Out . . .
You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink.
Please!!! Study!!!
Genius is 99% perspiration and 1% inspiration.
He who procrastinates will not do a good job.
Don't even try it!
Are you listening?
Quiet please.
We're having a test today . . .
Where is your homework?
Hi, Baby.



Mr. Schwab checks attendance while students proceed with work.



Ms. M. H. Cato
Business



Mr. F. Chenitz
Health Education



Mr. S. Cohen
Mathematics



Mr. M. Cortese
Health Education



Mr. R. Costanzo
Industrial Arts



Mrs. M. Cray
Social Studies



Mrs. B. Derricotte
Reading

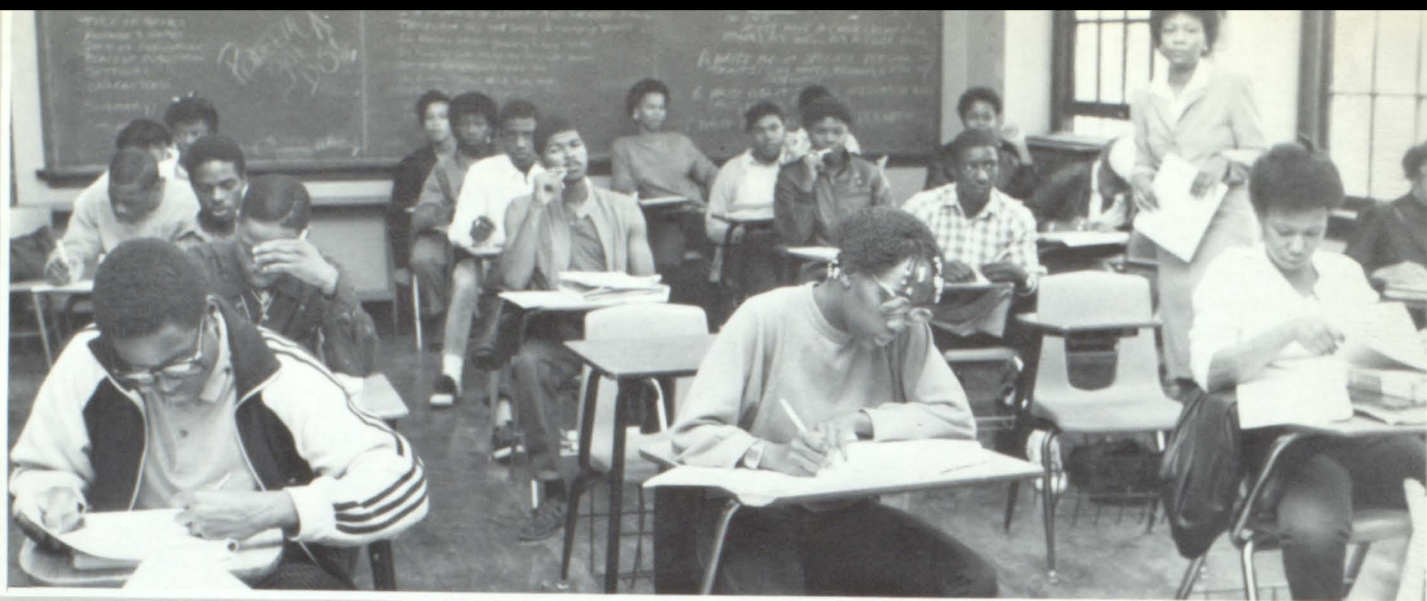


Ms. M. Dildy
Physical Education



"Acquire new knowledge whilst thinking over the old, and you may become a teacher of others." . . . Confucius

FACULTY



We will never forget Mrs. Miller's classes.



Mr. J. Doughty
English



Mrs. F. Edmonson
English



Mr. H. Ellis
Music



Mr. J. Fetteen
Social Studies



Mr. M. Friedman
DE Coordinator



Mr. Potts confers with Mrs. Brown

Mrs. P. Fullilove
Reading

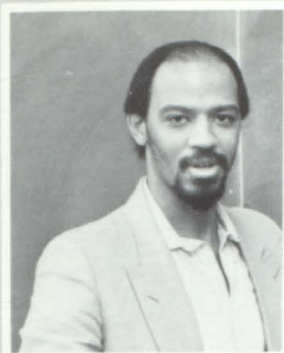
Mr. L. Gass
English



Mrs. A. Glover
Business

Mr. R. Gomez
Spanish





Mr. R. Hankerson
Mathematics



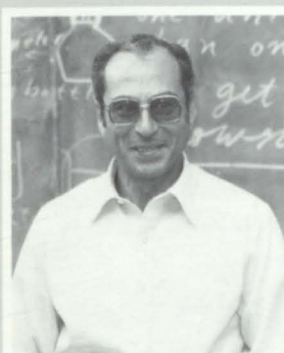
Mr. D. Hayes
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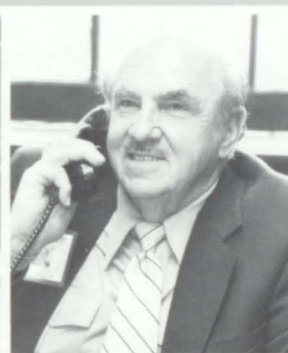
Mrs. J. Howard
Mathematics



Mrs. C. Jackson
Science



Mr. A. Jacobs
Science



Mr. C. JanTausch
Science



Miss L. Jessie
English



Mr. T. Kennedy
Science



Mr. G. Klass
Social Studies



Mrs. Brantley's sewing class is ready to work.



Mr. S. Kozarek
Industrial Arts



Mrs. A. Maddox
Business



Mrs. L. Maldonado
Art



Mr. W. May
Music



Mrs. F. Maier
Librarian



Mrs. I. McClendon
Music



Mr. Manny Freidman tells his class about the importance of of securing and holding a job.



Ms. B. McDuffie
Science



Ms. B. McKoy
Substitute



Mrs. I. Miller
English



Ms. M. Miranda
Spanish



Mrs. A. Muller
English

IF YOU WERE NOT A TEACHER,
WHAT VOCATION WOULD YOU HAVE
PURSUED?

Mr. Abdelgany	Engineering
Mr. Alexander	Jet Pilot
Mr. Andrews	Lawyer—Real Estate
Mrs. Bland	Nursing
Mrs. Brantley	Dress designing
Ms. Brock	Singer—Actress
Mrs. Brown	Secretary
Mrs. Cato	Airline Executive
Mr. Chenitz	Medical Doctor
Mr. Cohen	Science Research
Mrs. Derricotte	Nursing
Ms. Dildy	Recreation
Mr. Fetten	Sales
Mr. Friedman	Law
Mrs. Fullilove	Social Work
Mrs. Glover	CPA
Mr. Hayes	Forest Ranger
Mrs. Jackson	Research in genetics
Mr. JanTausch	Medical Doctor
Mr. Kennedy	Physiological Research
Ms. Jessie	Law
Mr. Klass	Retail Sales
Mrs. Maddox	Business Person
Mrs. Miller	Writer
Mrs. Pallotta	Law
Mr. Paul	Medical Doctor
Mr. Peloso	Medical Doctor
Mrs. Reynolds	Interior decorating
Mr. Repoli	Butcher
Mrs. Royster	Medical Doctor
Mr. Scala	Construction
Mr. Schwab	Minister
Ms. Sherman	Veterinary Medicine
Mr. Silas	Historian—Law
Mr. Sista	(Guidance) Stock Broker
Mr. Sista	(Reading) Business
Mrs. Summers	Actress
Mr. J. Taylor	Economist
Mr. P. Taylor	Modeling—Business
Mr. Thornhill	Audio Repair & Sales
Mrs. White	Horticulturist
Mrs. Wright	Law
Mr. Zubrowski	Librarian



Mr. W. Muller
Business



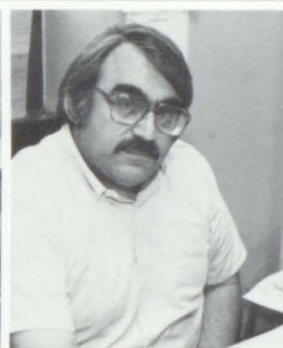
Mr. P. Noon
Industrial Arts



Mr. R. Paul
Social Studies



Ms. M. Prince
Physical Education



Mr. P. Repoli
Mathematics



Mrs. H. Rhynes
English



Mr. R. Richards
Attendance



Ms. R. Ringer
Business



Mr. L. Rizzolo
Foreign Language



Ms. S. Royster
Business



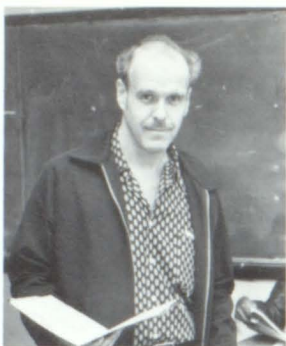
Mr. G. Scala
Mathematics



Mr. S. Schaffer
Social Studies



Mr. A. Schillizi
Social Studies



Mr. A. Schwab
English



Mrs. A. Schwartz
Home Economics



Ms. J. Sewell
Substitute



Mr. R. Silas
English



Mr. L. Sista
Reading



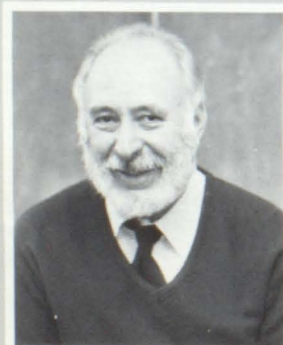
Mr. H. Stoney
Business



Mrs. E. Summers
Art



Mr. G. Taylor
English



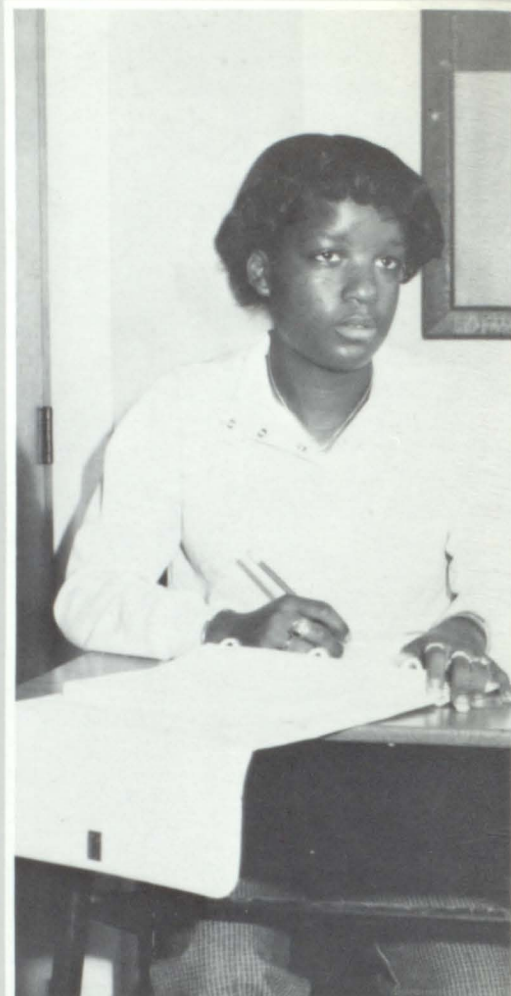
Mr. J. Taylor
Social Studies



Mr. P. Taylor
Mathematics



Mr. A. Thornhill
Physical Education



Rosa Hamilton enjoys her algebra class.



Vincent Cowart takes accurate notes.



Rene Graham copies from board.



Bill Bishop listens attentively.



Ms. B. Tyson
Home Economics



Mrs. B. Valor
Art



Mr. R.
Waksmundski
Science



Mrs. D. Watley
Science



Mr. R. Watson
Special Education



Mrs. R. Watson
Business



Mr. E. Whipps
Physical Education



Mrs. M. Wiggins
Health Education



Ms. D. Wilson
Science



Mrs. J. Wittcoff
English



Mrs. L. Wright
Business



Mr. E. Zubrowski
English

Messages From Us To You—The Class Of 1985

"Stay healthy, stay straight and live a long life." . . . Anton Schwab

"Don't worry about what other people are doing, do what you have to." . . . Edward Zubrowski

"Think positive, act positive and stop making excuses." . . . Gary Scala

"Set your goals high and work hard to attain them." . . . Leonard Rizzolo

"Strive to excel in all future endeavors." . . . Roberta Ringer

"Be prepared." . . . Pete Repoli

"You are indeed a special class, and I enjoyed working with many of you during the 83-84 school year. I expect big and great things from you. Remember, 'Your grasp should always exceed your reach.'" . . . Laverne Wright

"Set goals that are above and beyond your present level." . . . Tom Kennedy

"Much success in your future endeavors." . . . Lena Jessie

"Be conscientious and do your best all the time." . . . Gerald Klass

Continue doing what you are doing—sticking to it in a most business-like manner." . . . Agnes Maddox

"The sky is the limit, but your hard work is the elevator." . . . Fouad Abdelgany

"Set practical and reasonable goals; strive hard to attain them; work diligently to keep them; reach for the pinnacle of your professional as well as personal endeavors." . . . Irene Miller

"Let every day be a learning experience. Try to profit from past mistakes. Be sure to develop to your fullest potential, so that you may become a contributor to society." . . . Richard A. Alexander

"Be aware of your capabilities, opportunities, and responsibilities." . . . Sandra W. Brantley

"Give yourself a chance to be successful." . . . Frank R. Pelosa

"Get educated—keep yourself well informed—stay healthy and enjoy life." . . . Lorenzo Sista

"College Bound—take good notes, others—keep trying to improve yourselves." . . . Charles JanTausch

"Life in the fast lane will burn you out quicker than if you take time and enjoy what life has to offer." . . . Jacqueline Reynolds

"Go to class, study hard and earn your diploma. It's a very tough world out there, and you need every advantage you can get." . . . Angelo Buonomo

"You have to be into your own business in order to be economically successful in America!" . . . James Andrews

"May all of your goals and dreams be realized." . . . Mary Austin

"You are a child of the universe, no less than the trees and the stars; you have a right to be here.—Therefore, be at peace with God, whatever you conceive her to be, and whatever your labors and aspirations in the noisy confusion of life, keep peace with your soul. With all its sham, drudgery and broken dreams, it is still a beautiful world." . . . Gwendolyn Sherman

"Set your goals and dreams high . . . continue to grow and develop intellectually, spiritually, and emotionally . . . Remember always to stop and find time to give your fellow human being a helping hand." . . . Ralph Silas

"As you go forth and prepare for the many challenges you will meet, let not your heart be troubled. Believe in yourself, but most of all, believe in God to help guide you, strengthen you, and protect you." . . . Sandra Royster

"If you stumble and fall, then think you can't start over again—Remember, 'Today is the first day of the rest of your life.'" . . . Carmela Pallotta

"Prepare yourself for the Year 2005." . . . Reginald Paul

Whatever road you take to success will be as easy to travel as you make it. However, you can make it with faith. Be the best in whatever you pursue." . . . Roslyn P. Watson

"To thine own self be true." . . . Patricia Fullilove

"Strive to reach to top in all of your undertakings." . . . Alice Glover

"Sic Transit Gloria." . . . Dave Hayes

"Work hard now, play later. Play now, work hard later." . . . Manny Friedman

"Set a goal for yourself and never give up 'til you achieve it." . . . James Fetten

"Ask advice, but use your own common sense." . . . Marjorie Dildy

"No endeavor is in vain." . . . Barbara E. Derricotte

"Work hard and it will pay dividends in the future." . . . Frank Chenitz

"Best wishes for success and happiness." . . . Frances Maier

"You can do and be whatever you wish by determination and hard work. Hold on to your dream." . . . Norman Bland

"Good luck and success." . . . Jean Anderson

"Thank you, Class of '85", for making this the most enjoyable of all the classes of which I have worked. The road ahead is long and hard, mountains will seem hard to climb, but don't quit, hang on in there. Reach for the stars, take advantage of all the opportunities that avail you. Most of all, keep love in your heart—for yourself, your fellowman, and your family. Think of me always! I LOVE YOU! . . . Mary H. Cato

Office Staff



Mr. Adler and Mr. Chenitz rest a moment.



Miss C. Collins
Office Aide



Miss K. Galloway
Office Aide



Mrs. B. Jacobs
School Secretary



Mrs. P. McDuffie
School Secretary



Four teachers discuss plans for the day.



Ms. A. Rasheed
School Secretary



Mrs. G. Sacks
School Secretary



Mrs. Helen Miceli
Secretary to Principal



Mrs. B. Williams
School Secretary



Mrs. J. M. Williams
School Aide



Mrs. D. Wright
School Aide

Cafeteria Staff



Cafeteria Staff gets ready for a busy day.



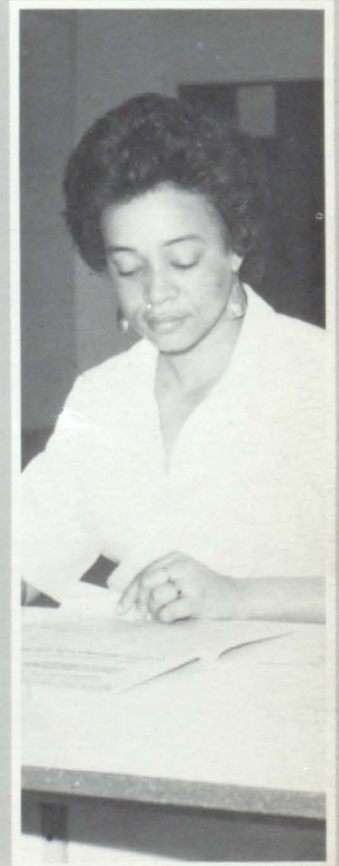
Mrs. M. Northern



Mrs. M. Berardi



Mr. L. Mack



Miss T. Carey

Security Staff



Mr. W. A. Chavers



Mr. G. Porter

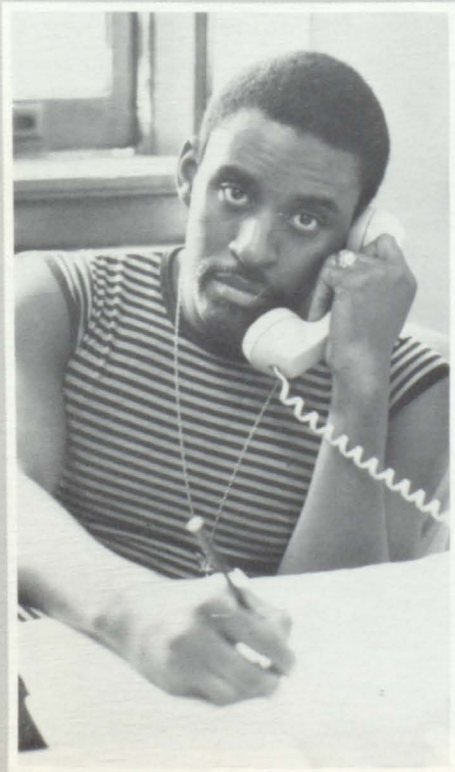


Mrs. R. Spells



Mr. L. Webster

Maintenance Staff



Mr. D. Colwell



Mr. C. Robinson



Mr. A. Latona



Mrs. C. Thomas

"Paper Dolls" Stars



Bride and Groom: Mrs. Bogan, Mr. Potts

An original musical showcase production, "Paper Dolls", was presented by four students, parents, and members of the WSH faculty. The play, produced and directed by Mrs. Watley and Mrs. Lois Thomas, was the story of Joe (Rodney Thomas), a jilted veteran, who was determined to mend his broken heart via of marrying a paper doll.

Cast members were: Lakisha Broadnax, Julia Bogan, Nathaniel Potts, Pat Fullilove, Barbara Derricotte, Sandra Brantley, Margie Mills, Norma Bland, Rodney Thomas, Jessie Howard, Irene Miller, Lena Jessie, LaRonce Marshal, Reginald Paul, Herbert Stoney, Aneesah Rasheeda, Barbara Valor, Robin Bogan, Brandon Boxley, Carmella Pallotta, Mary Cato, Betty Domigan, Catherine Jackson, Lillian Perry and Toni Fields.



Hawaiian Doll: Mrs. B. Valor



The cast in their "Paper-Doll" regalia

Mr. Rodney Thomas



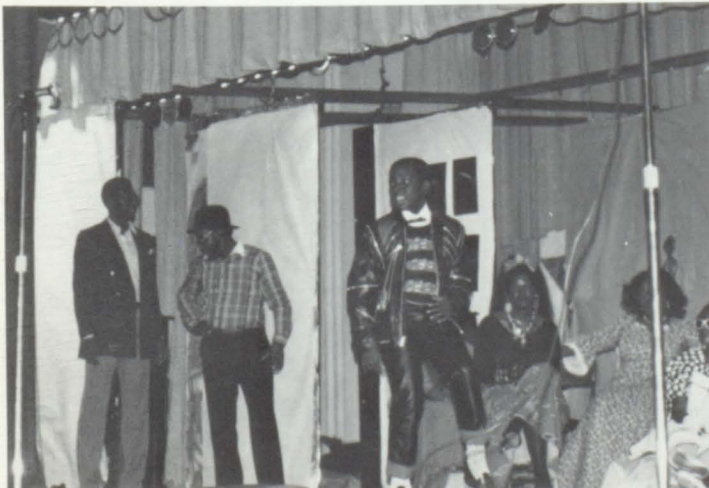
The producer and director of play: Mrs. Lois Thomas and Mrs. Dorecia Watley



Joe (Rodney Thomas), friend (Reginald Paul).



Wiz Kid Dolls—Lakisha, Robin, Toni



Michael Jackson Doll—Brandon Boxley



The doll who captured Joe's heart, played by Mrs. I. Miller, sings "Endless Love" with him.



Seniors



The following students have maintained a "B" average for three years in all their subjects and are graduating with honors. We hope that the good study habits that they developed during high school will be just as effective throughout their college years. We the Class of 1985 salute all of you for your great academic achievement, and wish you the best in all your endeavors.



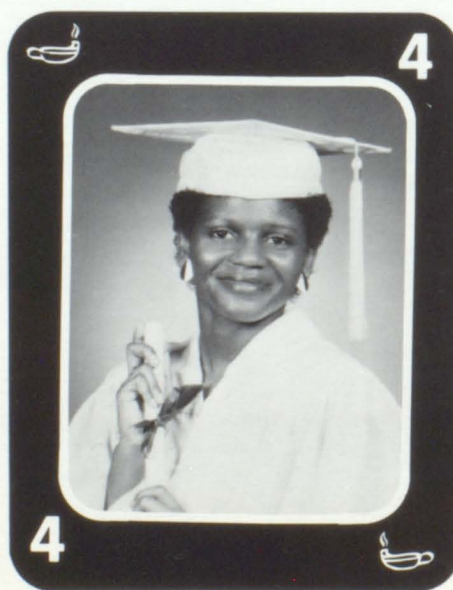
JUANITA STUCKEY



SHARON BOYD



GLORIA NEWKIRK



REBECCA BATTLE



SHEILA YELVERTON



DONNA BROWN

I attained my goal of graduating with honors by working very hard. I did all assignments that were required and I studied constantly. I balanced my afternoons for recreation and study. Realizing that it could only be one person at the top, I wanted to be the one. I plan to attend Douglass College to major in Business Administration - - - - - Juanita Stuckey

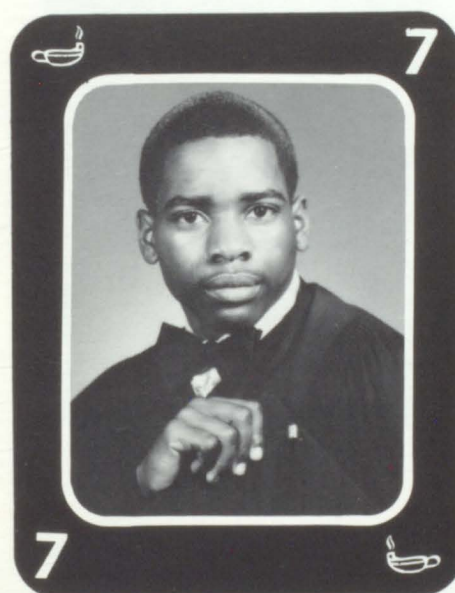
Graduating with honors has not been an easy task. Through hard work, determination, and patience I have managed to achieve this goal. Throughout my school years, I have taken college prep courses, and have maintained an A, B+ average in all of my classes. My family has been most influential in encouraging me to achieve my goals. I plan to attend Rutgers University to study medicine. - - - - - Sharon Boyd

I was disciplined back in elementary school to study hard and do homework. In fact, I did my homework in advance and asked the teachers for it whenever it was not assigned. After graduating from WSH, I plan to study architectonics or art. My teacher, Mrs. Summers, influenced me to take this route because of my artistic talents. She helped me to overcome my weaknesses

and develop my strengths. I plan to attend Central State College. - - - - - Gloria Newkirk

I attended high school in SC for three years and the school there is much stricter and courses harder than West Side. I was always a bright student because we were required to take all the needed subjects before we could take any electives. I was also a cheerleader and had to maintain a B average to continue on the squad. My parents influence me to achieve. I plan to attend the University of SC to pursue a major in law. - - - - - Rebecca Battle

I am very proud to be graduating with honors from WSH. Graduating with honors gives me the feeling of accomplishment and achievement. I have tried my best and hoped that I would reach this goal. The fine teachers, devoted guidance counselors and other personnel here at WSH have enabled me to meet this important endeavor in my life. West Side has been and will always be my foundation on which I will build my successful, prosperous, and fulfilling future. - - - Sheila Yelverton



ROBERT PRETLOW

After moving to Newark from San Francisco during my Sophomore year and not knowing anyone, I had to gain recognition with good grades. The nice teachers at WSH and my mother saw that I had potential and pushed me to strive for excellence. I plan to return to San Francisco to attend the University of San Francisco for journalism. - - - Donna Brown

When I was in first grade, I was placed in a second level reading group, but I soon proved to my teacher that I was eligible for the first level group. Ever since this accomplishment, I have remained at the top of my classes because I love competition. Thanks to my teachers, my competitors, and especially my family who pushed me to remain on top. However, this is not the end, I plan to attend Drew University or Montclair State College to major in biological sciences and later attend a school of medicine. - - - - - Robert Pretlow

I have brothers and sisters who graduated with honors and who are now very successful. They pushed me to follow the same trend. Being the youngest of six, com-

peting did not come easy, but being influenced by my parents, counselors and a few of the teachers, I was determined to succeed. I plan to attend Rutgers University. - - - - - Sabrina Alston

My mother is the person who had the greatest influence in helping me to graduate with honors. Whenever I wasn't sure about something, she was there to give me a helping hand and encouragement. I wasn't sure that I could cope with high school, but after adjusting and studying each and every night, I managed to succeed. I plan to attend Stockton State College for accounting. - - - - - Katrina Loyal

Because of the strong discipline, love and communication from my mother, I am graduating in the top 10 per cent of my class. When I was in elementary school, I would rather play than study, but dear Mom was there - - - right on top, demanding that I stay in the books. I developed good study habits that carried over to my high school years. Thank you Mom. I plan to attend Howard University. - - - - - Elaine Catherine James



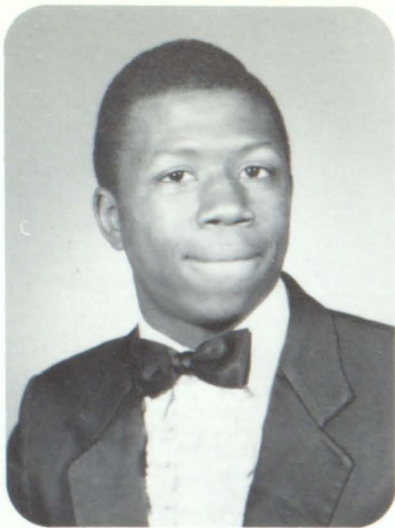
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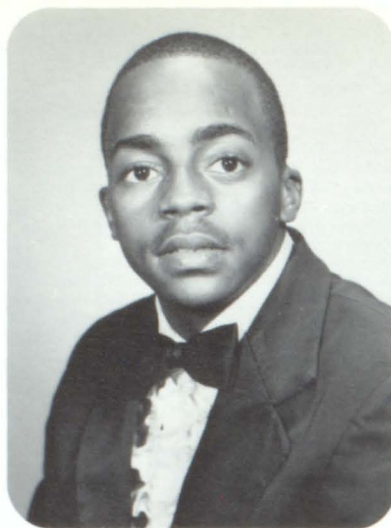
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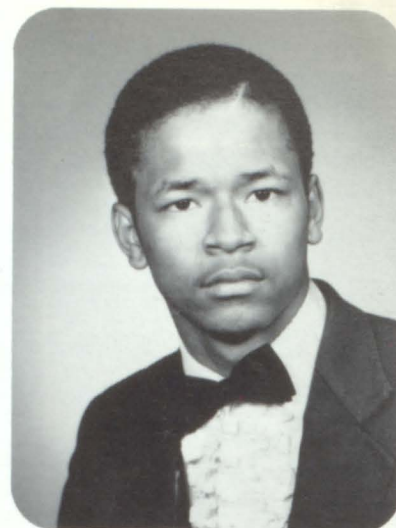
CATHERINE JAMES



DARRYL AIKENS
"Woo"



DARREN ALLEN
"Amin Ali"



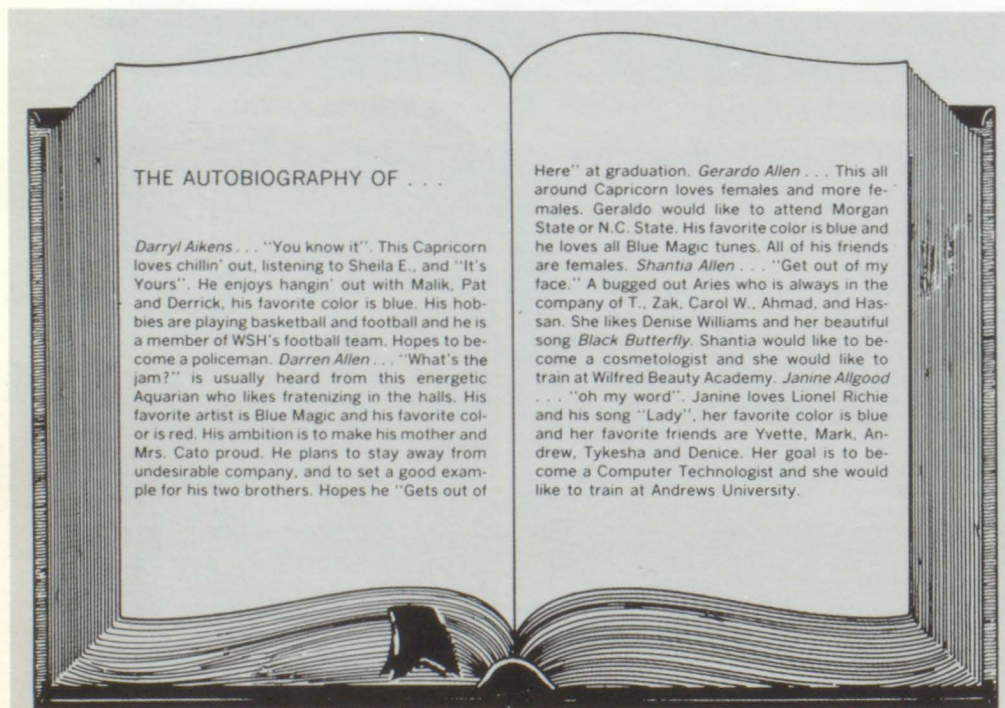
GERARDO ALLEN
"Hakadee"



Missy's taking pictures in her history class.



SHANTIA ALLEN
"Shan"



THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF ...

Darryl Aikens . . . "You know it", This Capricorn loves chillin' out, listening to Sheila E., and "It's Yours". He enjoys hangin' out with Malik, Pat and Derrick, his favorite color is blue. His hobbies are playing basketball and football and he is a member of WSH's football team. Hopes to become a policeman. *Darren Allen* . . . "What's the jam?" is usually heard from this energetic Aquarian who likes fraternalizing in the halls. His favorite artist is Blue Magic and his favorite color is red. His ambition is to make his mother and Mrs. Cato proud. He plans to stay away from undesirable company, and to set a good example for his two brothers. Hopes he "Gets out of

Here" at graduation. *Gerardo Allen* . . . This all around Capricorn loves females and more females. Gerardo would like to attend Morgan State or N.C. State. His favorite color is blue and he loves all Blue Magic tunes. All of his friends are females. *Shantia Allen* . . . "Get out of my face." A bugged out Aries who is always in the company of T., Zak, Carol W., Ahmad, and Hassan. She likes Denise Williams and her beautiful song *Black Butterfly*. Shantia would like to become a cosmetologist and she would like to train at Wilfred Beauty Academy. *Janine Allgood* . . . "oh my word". Janine loves Lionel Richie and his song "Lady", her favorite color is blue and her favorite friends are Yvette, Mark, Andrew, Tykesha and Denise. Her goal is to become a Computer Technologist and she would like to train at Andrews University.



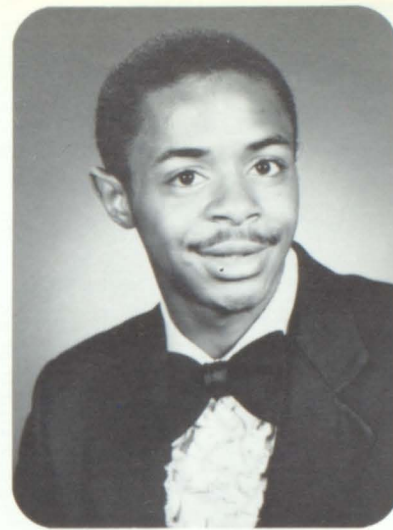
JANINE ALLGOOD
"Lady J"



RONNIE ALSTON
"Omar"



SABRINA ALSTON
"Bootsie"



KENNETH ARRINGTON
"Tweety"



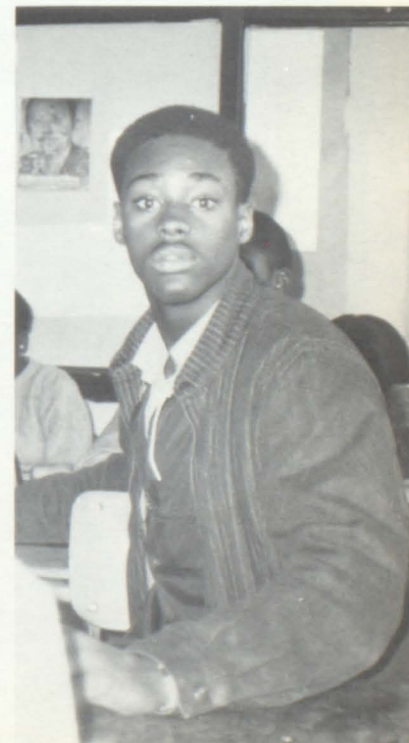
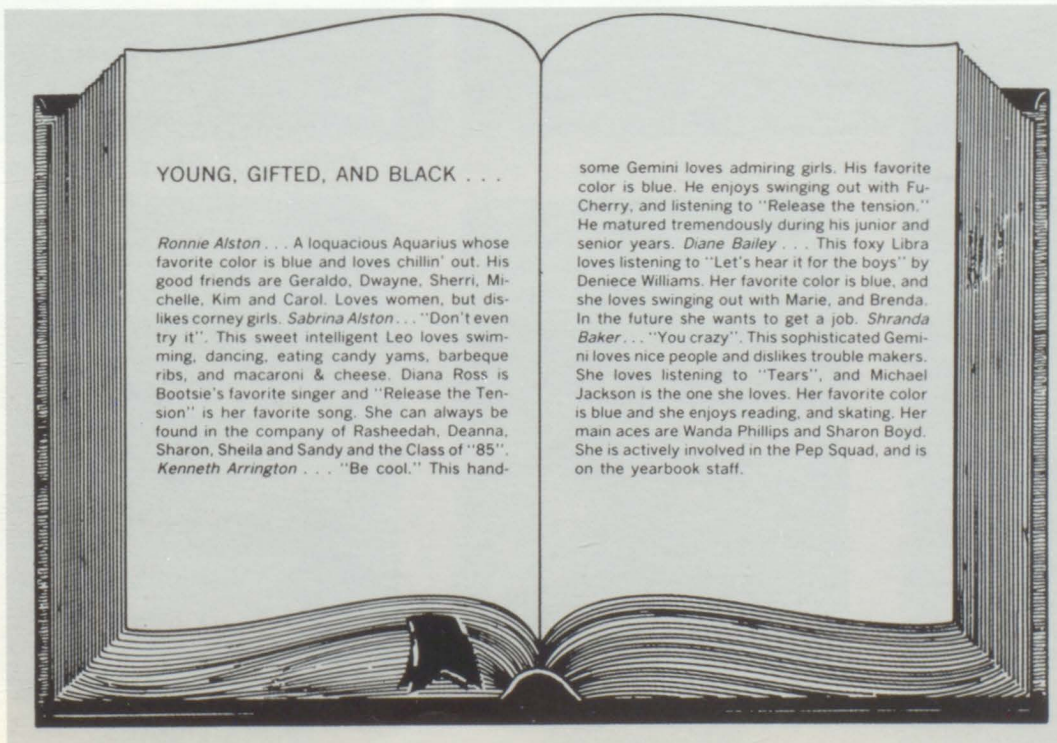
DIANE BAILEY



SHRANDA BAKER
"Sugar"



Shawn Weatherington is really enjoying her history class.



Andre Jones caught in the act.



LEON BANKS
"Malik"



STEPHANIE BARNES
"Skeet"



Tommy, Jackie, Cheryl

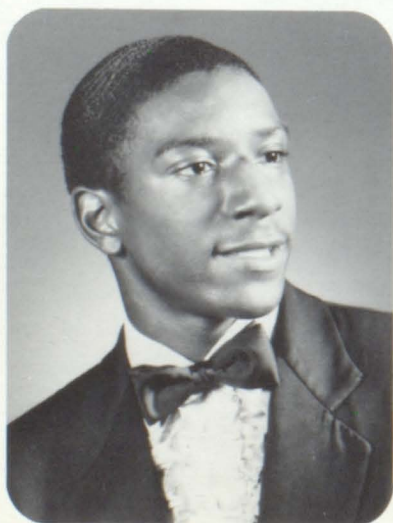
THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF . . .

Leon Banks . . . "What's Up?" A Leo who has grown at least five inches in three years. A baseball star who enjoys "Blue Magic" and the color red. Likes listening to "Since You've Been Gone", football, painting and girls. Dislikes school at the moment, but will enjoy it when he enters Grambling University. His future goal is undecided. An active member of the baseball team. *Stephanie Barnes . . .* This sweet lady-like Aquarian enjoys money, science, and laughter. Her favorite singer is Stevie Wonder which sings her favorite song "Lately". She enjoys looking at her favorite color blue. Wants very much to be a successful pharmacist in her own drug store. To pursue her goal, she wishes to attend Rutgers College of Pharmacy. *Richard Batemon . . .* Richard's favorite saying is "Good Morning"

and his favorite songs are "Thriller," and "Purple Rain". His favorite color is blue and he is a member of the football team. His friends are David, Keith, and Anthony. Speedy would like to attend Penn State or Michigan State, but he is undecided about a major. *Denise Bates . . .* "Oh Boy" is usually heard from this sweet, ambitious Aquarian who enjoys listening to "Hello" by none other than Mr. Lionel Richie. Likes to "bug out" when not singing, dancing, or sewing. This future nurse, who does not like eating left-overs, hopes to attend Rutgers University. *Rebecca Battle . . .* The nice young lady was born under the sign Leo. She enjoys listening to Prince's music, her favorite song is "Purple Rain." She plays tennis and loves skating . . . You might see Becky with her friends Martha, Pam, and Michelle wearing her favorite colors red and blue. She would like to attend North Carolina State University and become a successful lawyer.



Adrienne is listening intensely.



RICHARD BATEMON
"Speedy"



DENISE BATES
"De"



REBECCA BATTLE
"Becky"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Audrey Bell . . . This sweet young lady was born under the sign of Pisces. She enjoys singing her favorite song *Black Butterfly* by her favorite artist Denise Williams . . . she likes guys and dislikes homework . . . you might see Audrey wearing red & blue with her favorite friends Rosa, Angie, and Naz. She is an active member of the Yearbook staff and plans to attend Rutgers University to become a lawyer. *Keith Bell . . .* This chocolate, handsome Cancer likes eating, wearing the color gray, drawing, painting, writing poetry, and visiting with his lady. He also enjoys listening to

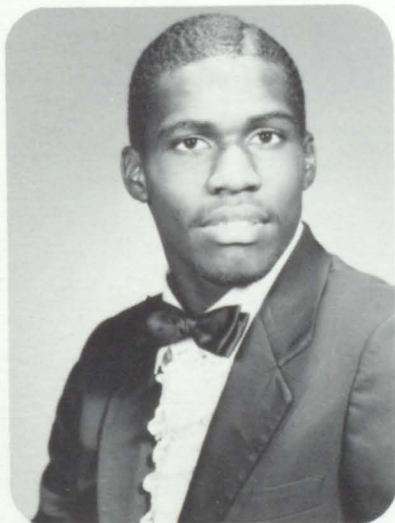
"A House is Not A Home" by Luther Vandross. A member of WSH varsity basketball team, Keith is undecided about college. *Shonda Best . . .* "Don't even try it" is this lady's favorite saying. A Capricorn who likes the color orange and the Whispers, also enjoys dancing and skating. Her favorite song is "Doctor Love". Some of her friends are Renee, Tiesha, Rashidah, Lisa, and Shaquiah. Her future goal is to become a Registered Nurse. She would like to attend Kean College. *David Bethea . . .* "Word is bee" is this handsome Pisces' favorite saying. He dislikes girls who smoke, but likes charming ladies. He enjoys listening to Blue Magic, "Fat Boy", and running track. He plans to join the armed forces.



AUDREY BELL



Gerardo Allen and David Clark



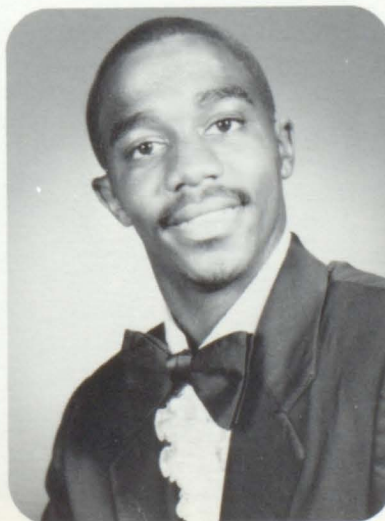
KEITH BELL
"Shahid"



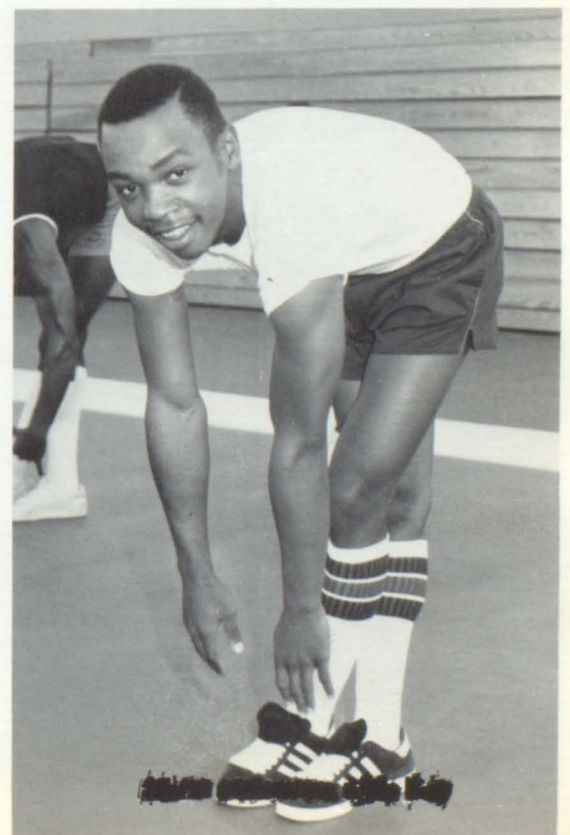
SHARONNE BELL



SHONDA BEST
"Shorty Love"

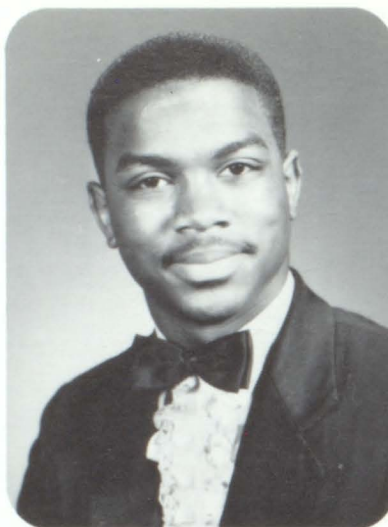


DAVID BETHEA
"Ajax"





ADRIANNE BISHOP
"Rasheedah"



CARZELL BLACK
"Tariq"



JACQUELINE ANITA BOGAN
"Jameelah"



ROBIN AMELIA BOGAN
"Rob"



TERESA BOGAR
"Tee"



Pusilyn and Eugenia enjoy being a senior

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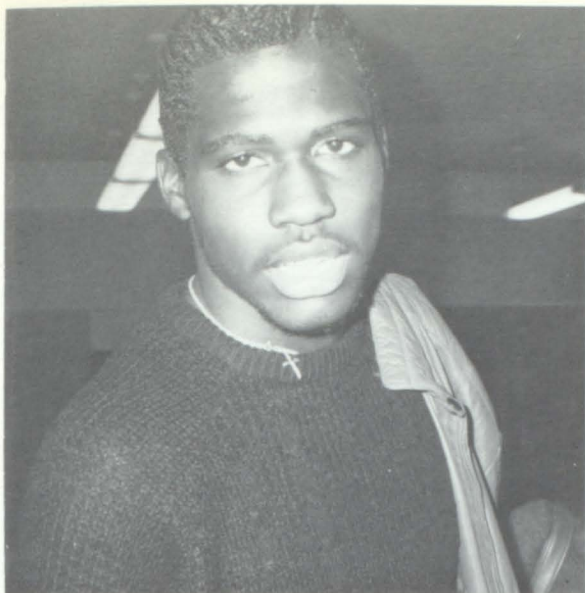
Adrienne Bishop . . . Sadly this fun-loving Leo had to leave her friends, Bootsie, Sandy, Deanna, and Ali-Boo to make a new home in Roselle. Rasheedah enjoys partying, eating, modeling, but detests liars. A future Computer Technician who plans to further her education at Rutgers University.

Carzell Black . . . This Courageous Capricorn can be seen with William, Jeffrey, Holte, and Raoul. He likes the Whispers, the song "Say Yes", and making money. His hobbies are football, cars, skating, and bowling. Preferred colors are blue and white. Mr. Black plans to attend Lincoln Institute of Technology to become a success-

ful Auto Diesel Mechanic. *Jacqueline Anita Bogan* . . . Aquarius . . . her favorite saying is "What's Up" and her favorite singer is Diana Ross. Her favorite song is "What's Love Got To Do With It". Her hobbies are dancing and swinging out with Wanda and Jackie. She likes having days off from school and she is a member of the school chorus. She is undecided about college. *Robin Amelia Bogan* . . . "You Can" . . . This peace-maker Picean, who was crowned Miss West Side 1984, likes people who mind their own business and dislikes people who don't. Her favorite color is brown, and she loves listening to Melba Moore and "Black Butterfly." She swings out with Jackie and Michelle M. Someday she'll become a successful singer after completing Temple University.



Maureen just loves Mrs. Edmonson's class



Keith Bell can hardly wait 'til June



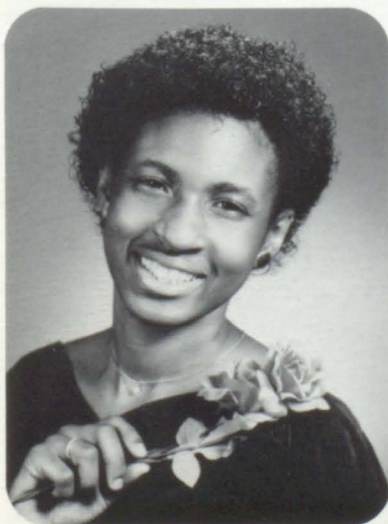
Shaleeah and Rebecca in DE class



MICHELLE BOOKER
"Missy"



CONNIE BOSTIC
"Shaheedah"



GLORIA SCHERECE BOWMAN
"Go-Go"



SHARON DENISE BOYD
"My Girl"



SANDRA JENIECE BRIGHT
"Niecy"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK

Michelle Booker . . . This foxy Aquarius loves listening to "Tears" and Michael Jackson . . . She also likes meeting nice young men but dislikes Bugged-out brothers . . . Missy can be seen with Kim D., Carol W., Sherri G., Michelle C., and Kim C. . . She plans to attend Rutgers or Bloomfield to study nursing. *Connie Bostic* . . . "Word is Bond" . . . Born under the sign of Cancer, Connie enjoys working, colors blue and pink. She likes making peace, school and songs by Alicia Myer. She dislikes trouble and fights, but enjoys listening to "You Get The Best". Her best friends are Raheem, Mu and family. She hopes to become a nurse after graduating from NC State in Raleigh. *Gloria Scherece Bowman* . . . "I Ain't Lying." A fun-loving Aries who is always in the company of Tanya, Marilyn, Kee-Kee and Shim enjoys skating, dancing, reading, math, business subjects, and fashioning in the color blue. Denise Wms, is

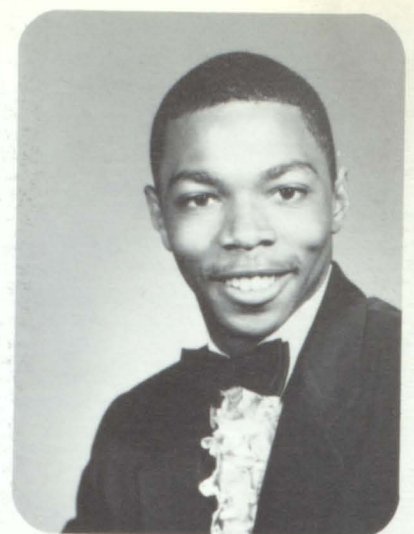
her favorite singer and she just adores "Hey Mr Goodbar". Although she dislikes US History, she plans to attend Seton Hall University. *Sharon Denise Boyd* . . . This Number "2" student is a pretty Capricorn who likes Patti LaBelle, wearing the color blue, friendly people, dancing and listening to music. She dislikes wild guys, but enjoys the company of Shawn, Delphia, Laura, Sharonda, Kiesha and Stephanie. This active member of the LAMP staff, plans to attend Rutgers U. and medical school to become a MD. *Sandra Jeniece Bright* . . . This lovely Capricorn loves listening to all love songs with her favorite person Steven McCoy. Her hobbies are reading, eating and writing. She can be seen dressed sharply in her favorite colors black and white. Niecy's future plans are to attend Montclair State College to major in Communications. Her ultimate goal is to become a Television Broadcaster.



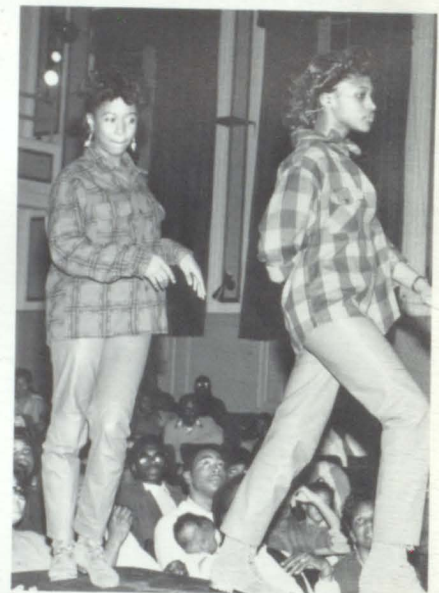
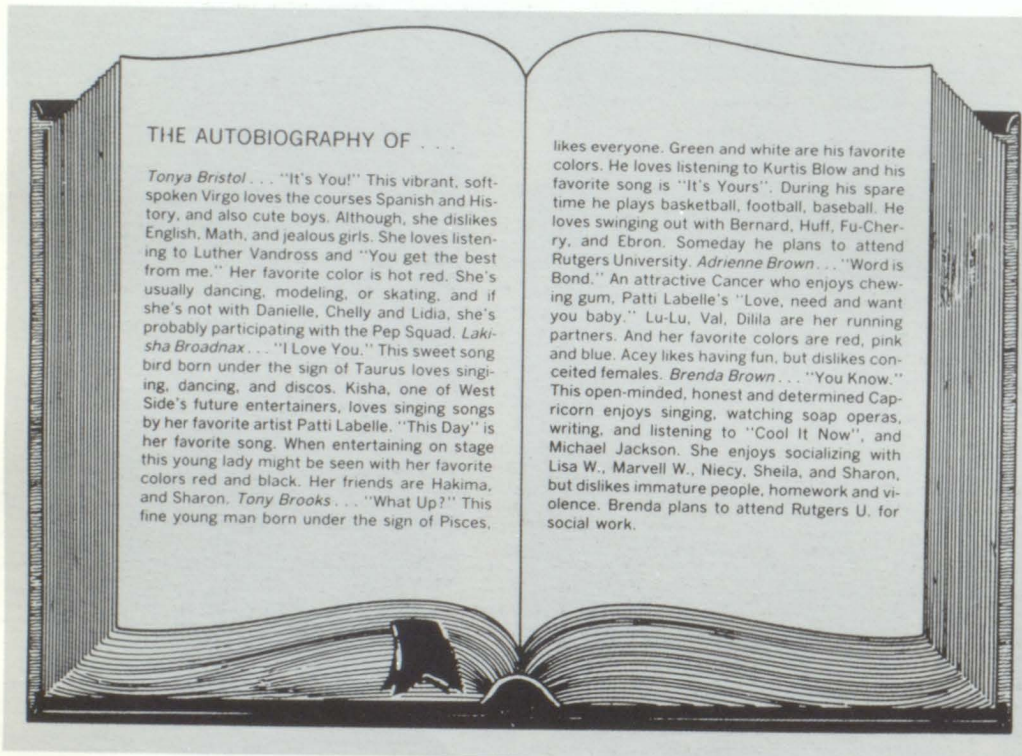
TONYA BRISTOL
"Tricky Tee"



LAKISHA BROADNAX
"Kisha"



TONY BROOKS
"Fuquan"



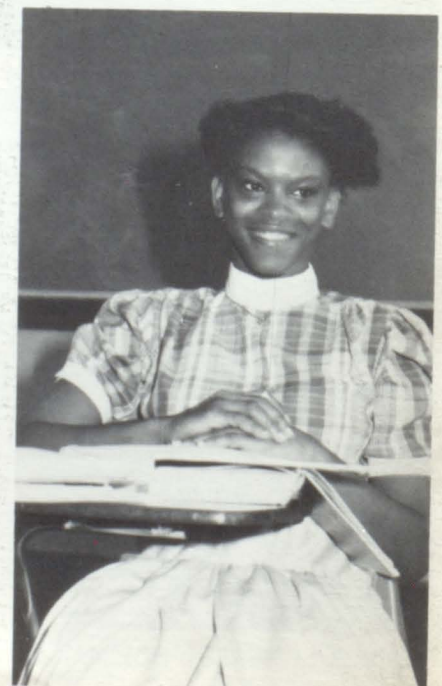
Tonya and Tawana sport their casual wear.



ADRIENNE BROWN
"Acey"



BRENDA BROWN
"Half-pint"



Joyce Gibson asks questions in class.

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Donna Brown . . . "You Sicko" . . . This intelligent Cancer will be caught saying a favorite saying "You Sicko". She enjoys listening to Air Supply and "Making Love Out of Nothing At All" Miss Brown, who plans to move to San Francisco to become a famous writer, can be seen with Tonya, Sharonda and Josh. *Michele Brown* . . . "Gimme a Break" is what this petite Capricorn says as she is humming her favorite song, "Mr. Goodbar" or listening to Blue Magic. The captain of the cheering squad enjoys cheering, dancing, skating and wearing the color blue. The adorable little Miss, who plans to attend Doug-

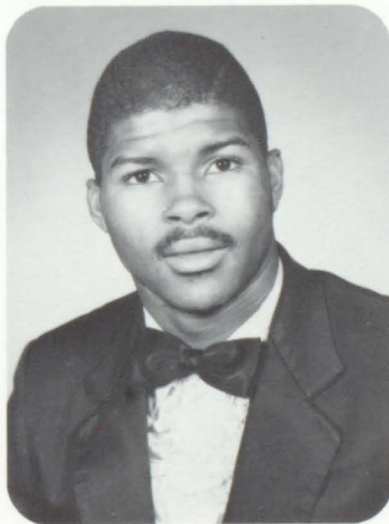
lass College and medical school, can be seen with Chelly, Nell, and Tanya. *Nathaniel A. Bush* . . . "Chill Out" . . . This sincere Leo can be found with Herb, Dane, Tariq, Greg and Calvin. Nate's future plans are to attend undergrad school at Montclair State and undecided grad school. He likes listening to "Since You've Been Gone", wearing the color blue, reading, playing all sports and TV . . . member of the Varsity baseball team. *Gina Cady* . . . "Did you see Hakim around 16th St.?" . . . This popular Pisces likes hot pink, skating, flirting, partying and having a good time. Her favorite singer is Tina Turner, and her favorite song is "Don't Do Me No Favors". Enjoys being with friends Hakim, Yvonne, Tracy, Michele and Shanelle.



Yvonne and Theresa—ready to cook.



DONNA BROWN
"The Nut"



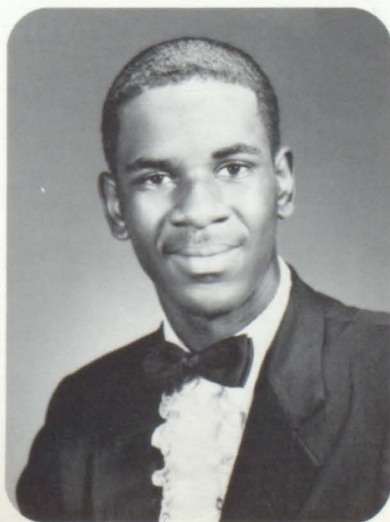
EDWARD BROWN



Sharon Boyd—Number 2



MICHELLE BROWN
"Missy"



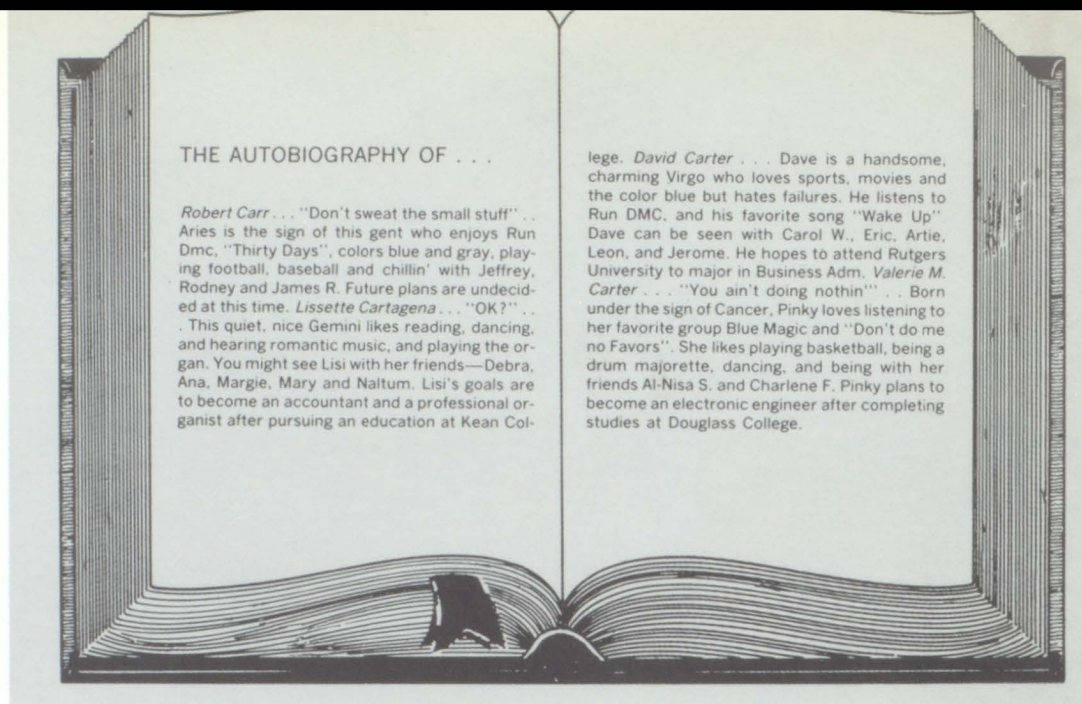
NATHANIEL ADAM BUSH
"AB"



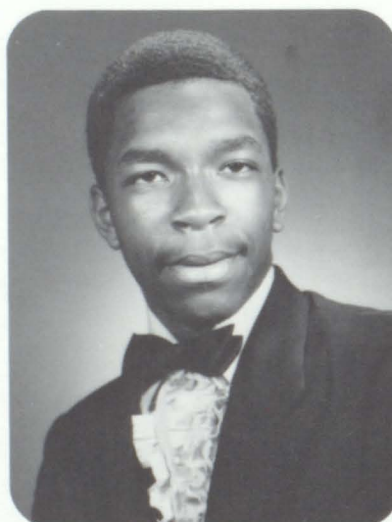
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"Bah-Yah"



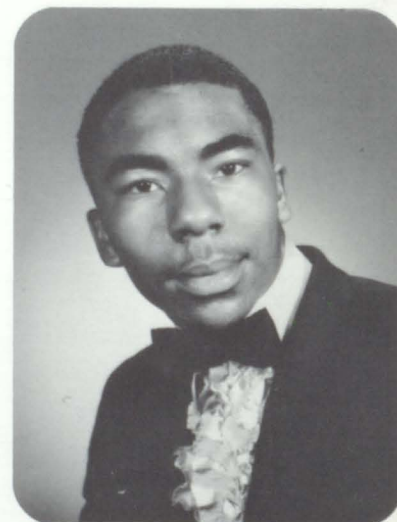
Clarence Jones enjoys school.



Darren and Cheryl, together as usual.



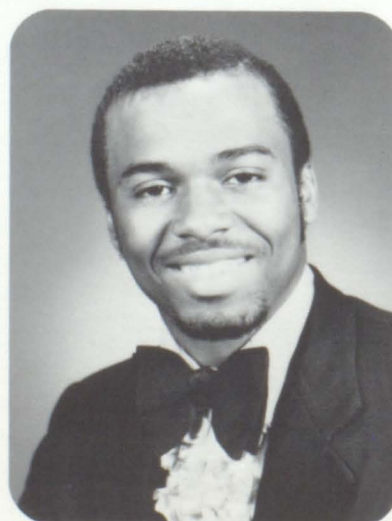
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ROBERT CARR
"Malik"



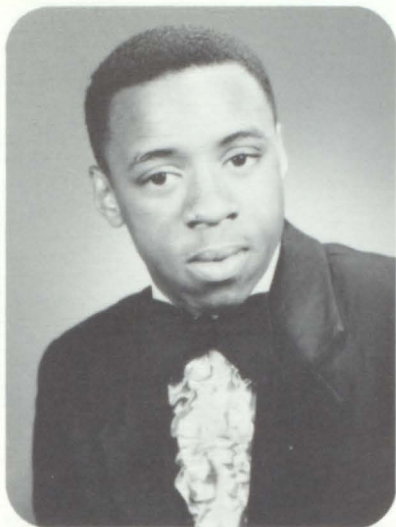
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"Lisi"



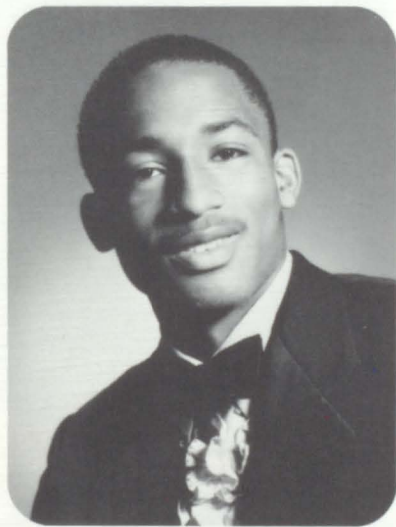
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"Dave"



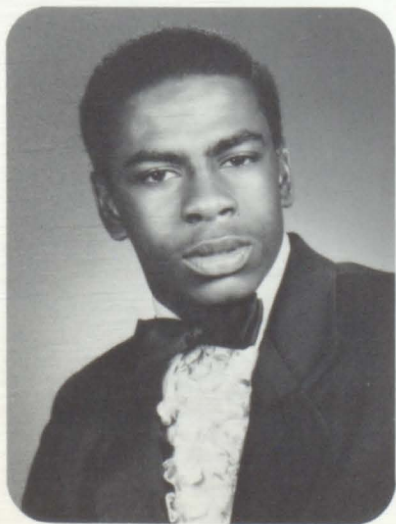
VALERIE NELINDA CARTER
"Pinky"



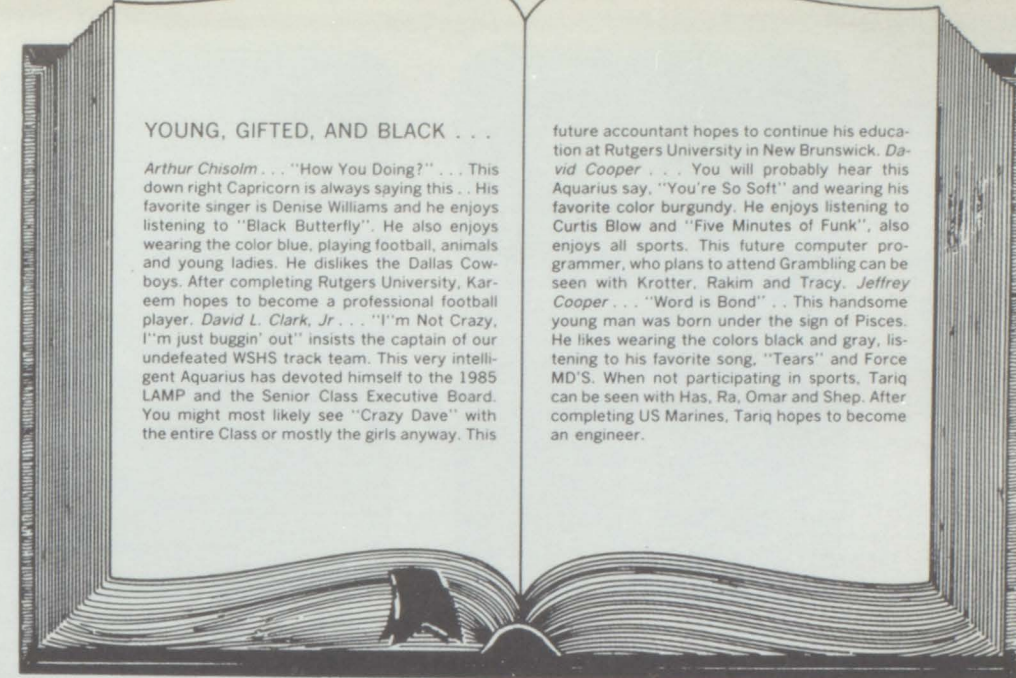
JEFFREY CHERRY



ARTHUR CHISOLM
"Kareem"



DAVID LEE CLARK, JR.
"Crazy Dave"



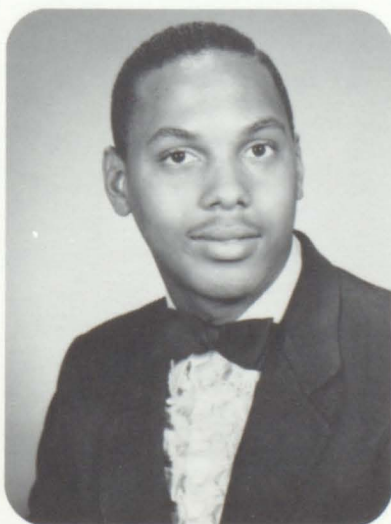
YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Arthur Chisolm . . . "How You Doing?" . . . This down right Capricorn is always saying this . . . His favorite singer is Denise Williams and he enjoys listening to "Black Butterfly". He also enjoys wearing the color blue, playing football, animals and young ladies. He dislikes the Dallas Cowboys. After completing Rutgers University, Kareem hopes to become a professional football player. David L. Clark, Jr. . . . "I'm Not Crazy, I'm just buggin' out" insists the captain of our undefeated WSHS track team. This very intelligent Aquarius has devoted himself to the 1985 LAMP and the Senior Class Executive Board. You might most likely see "Crazy Dave" with the entire Class or mostly the girls anyway. This

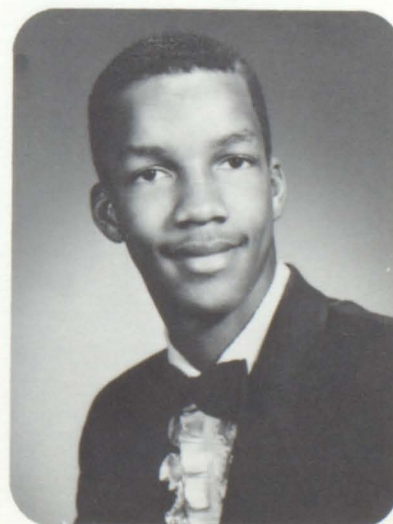
future accountant hopes to continue his education at Rutgers University in New Brunswick. David Cooper . . . You will probably hear this Aquarius say, "You're So Soft" and wearing his favorite color burgundy. He enjoys listening to Curtis Blow and "Five Minutes of Funk", also enjoys all sports. This future computer programmer, who plans to attend Grambling can be seen with Krotter, Rakim and Tracy. Jeffrey Cooper . . . "Word is Bond" . . . This handsome young man was born under the sign of Pisces. He likes wearing the colors black and gray, listening to his favorite song, "Tears" and Force MD'S. When not participating in sports, Tariq can be seen with Has, Ra, Omar and Shep. After completing US Marines, Tariq hopes to become an engineer.



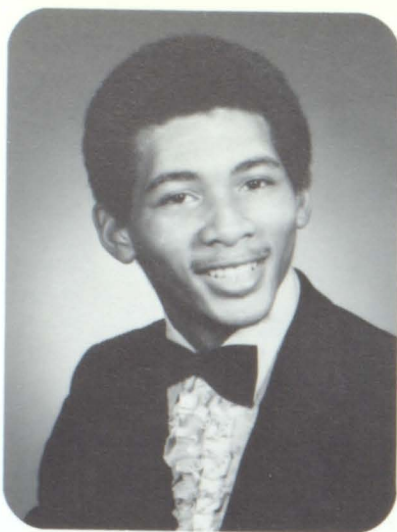
Sandy, Sharon, Sheila, Bootsie and Sherri—back in the 50's.



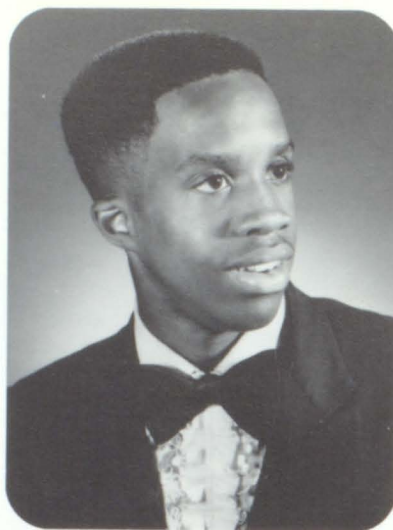
DAVID COOPER
"Bilal"



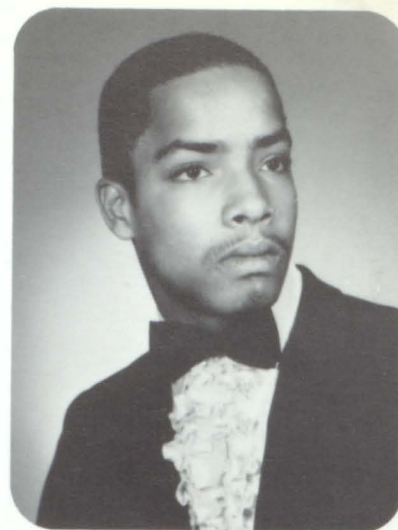
JEFFREY COOPER
"Tariq"



CORTLAND CORBETT
"Cort"



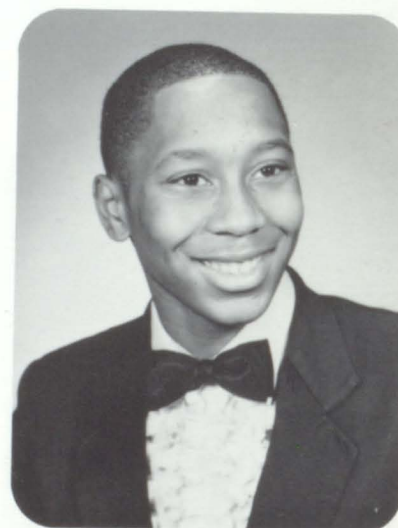
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"Percell"



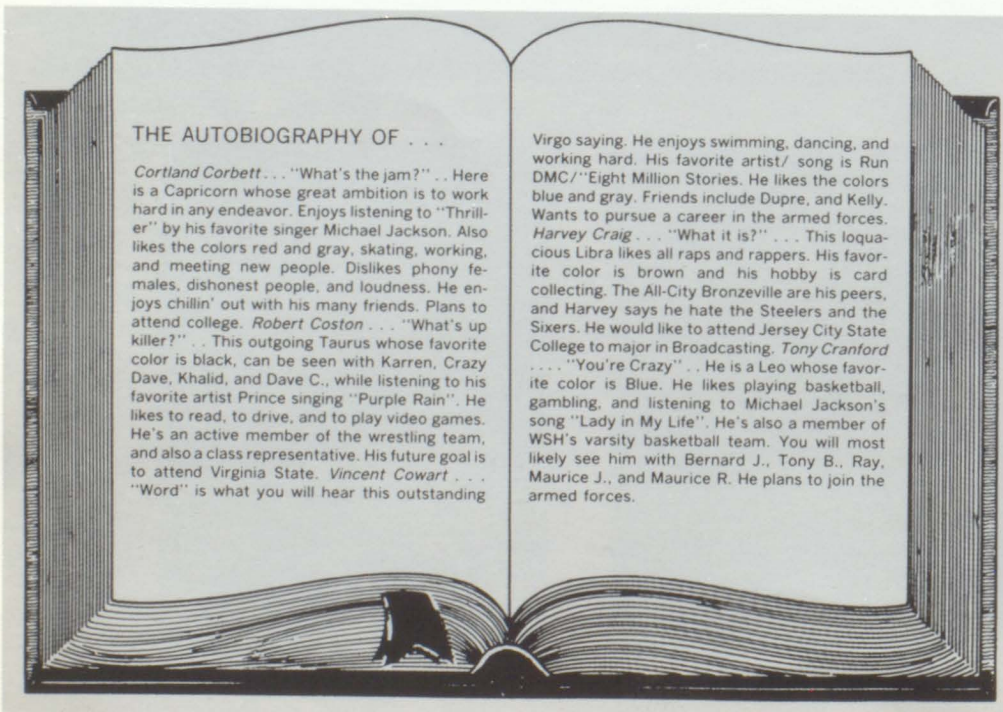
VINCENT COWART
"V.M.C."



Yvette & friends in Mr. Friedman's class



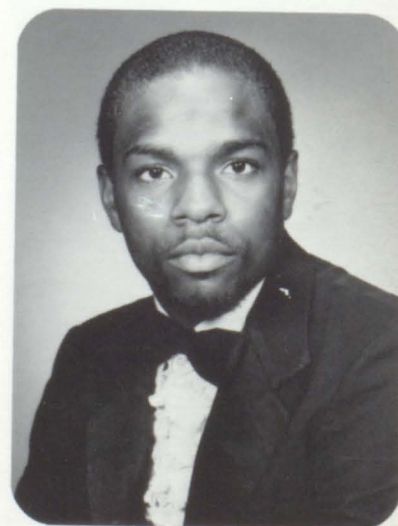
HARVEY CRAIG
"Hanif"



THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF . . .

Cortland Corbett . . . "What's the jam?" . . . Here is a Capricorn whose great ambition is to work hard in any endeavor. Enjoys listening to "Thriller" by his favorite singer Michael Jackson. Also likes the colors red and gray, skating, working, and meeting new people. Dislikes phony females, dishonest people, and loudness. He enjoys chillin' out with his many friends. Plans to attend college. *Robert Coston* . . . "What's up killer?" . . . This outgoing Taurus whose favorite color is black, can be seen with Karren, Crazy Dave, Khalid, and Dave C., while listening to his favorite artist Prince singing "Purple Rain". He likes to read, to drive, and to play video games. He's an active member of the wrestling team, and also a class representative. His future goal is to attend Virginia State. *Vincent Cowart* . . . "Word" is what you will hear this outstanding

Virgo saying. He enjoys swimming, dancing, and working hard. His favorite artist/ song is Run DMC/"Eight Million Stories. He likes the colors blue and gray. Friends include Dupre, and Kelly. Wants to pursue a career in the armed forces. *Harvey Craig* . . . "What it is?" . . . This loquacious Libra likes all raps and rappers. His favorite color is brown and his hobby is card collecting. The All-City Bronzeville are his peers, and Harvey says he hate the Steelers and the Sixers. He would like to attend Jersey City State College to major in Broadcasting. *Tony Cranford* . . . "You're Crazy" . . . He is a Leo whose favorite color is Blue. He likes playing basketball, gambling, and listening to Michael Jackson's song "Lady in My Life". He's also a member of WSH's varsity basketball team. You will most likely see him with Bernard J., Tony B., Ray, Maurice J., and Maurice R. He plans to join the armed forces.



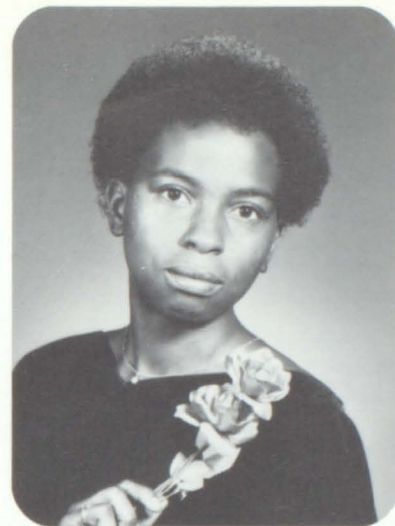
TONY CRANFORD
"Raheem"



FELICIA CRAWFORD
"Lisa"



MICHELLE CURETON
"La-La"



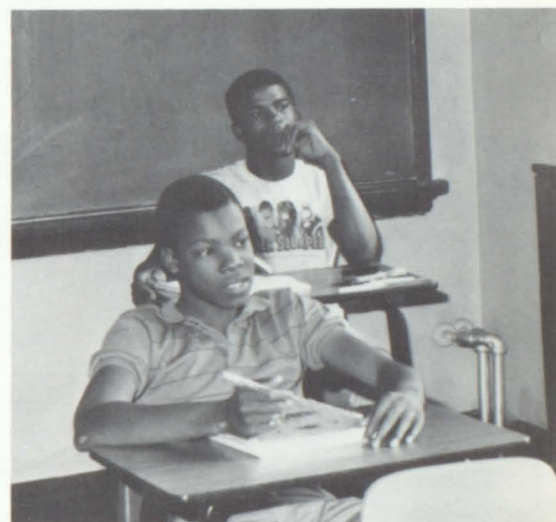
WANDA CURETON
"Kim"



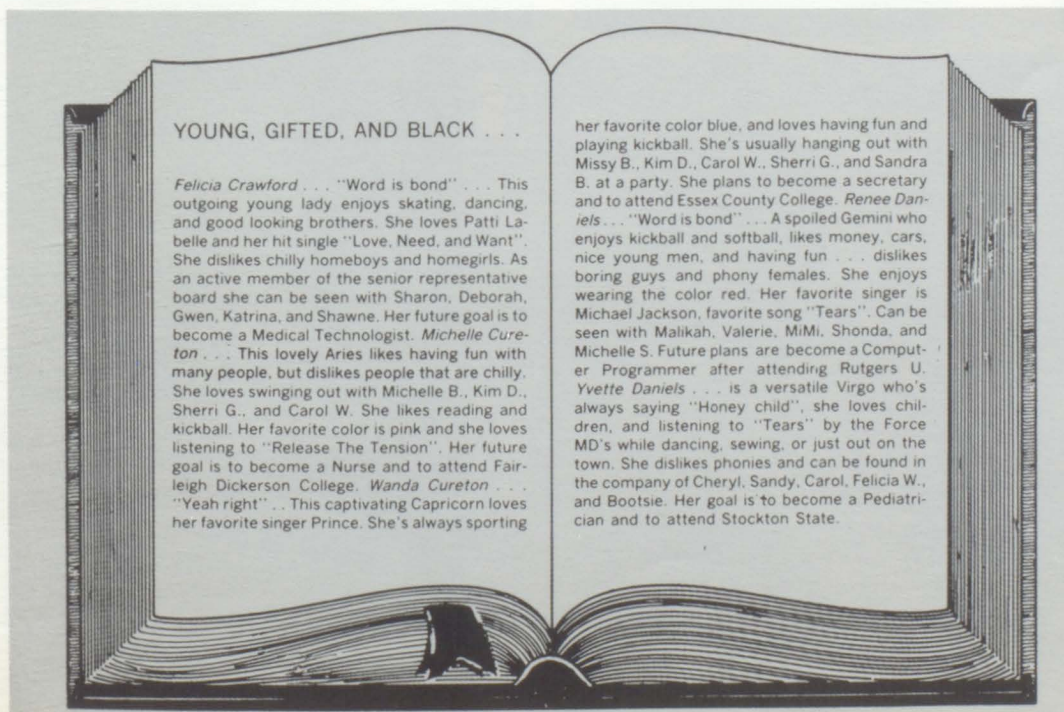
RENEE DANIELS
"Red"



YVETTE DANIELS
"Country Girl"



James White in English class.



YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Felicia Crawford . . . "Word is bond" . . . This outgoing young lady enjoys skating, dancing, and good looking brothers. She loves Patti LaBelle and her hit single "Love, Need, and Want". She dislikes chilly homeboys and homegirls. As an active member of the senior representative board she can be seen with Sharon, Deborah, Gwen, Katrina, and Shawne. Her future goal is to become a Medical Technologist. *Michelle Cureton* . . . This lovely Aries likes having fun with many people, but dislikes people that are chilly. She loves swinging out with Michelle B., Kim D., Sherri G., and Carol W. She likes reading and kickball. Her favorite color is pink and she loves listening to "Release The Tension". Her future goal is to become a Nurse and to attend Fairleigh Dickerson College. *Wanda Cureton* . . . "Yeah right" . . . This captivating Capricorn loves her favorite singer Prince. She's always sporting

her favorite color blue, and loves having fun and playing kickball. She's usually hanging out with Missy B., Kim D., Carol W., Sherri G., and Sandra B. at a party. She plans to become a secretary and to attend Essex County College. *Renee Daniels* . . . "Word is bond" . . . A spoiled Gemini who enjoys kickball and softball, likes money, cars, nice young men, and having fun . . . dislikes boring guys and phony females. She enjoys wearing the color red. Her favorite singer is Michael Jackson, favorite song "Tears". Can be seen with Malikah, Valerie, MiMi, Shonda, and Michelle S. Future plans are become a Computer Programmer after attending Rutgers U. *Yvette Daniels* . . . is a versatile Virgo who's always saying "Honey child", she loves children, and listening to "Tears" by the Force MD's while dancing, sewing, or just out on the town. She dislikes phonies and can be found in the company of Cheryl, Sandy, Carol, Felicia W., and Bootsie. Her goal is to become a Pediatrician and to attend Stockton State.



Tonya's doing homework for another class.



KIMBERLY DAVIS
"Bas Ali"



MARCELL DAVIS
"Marci"



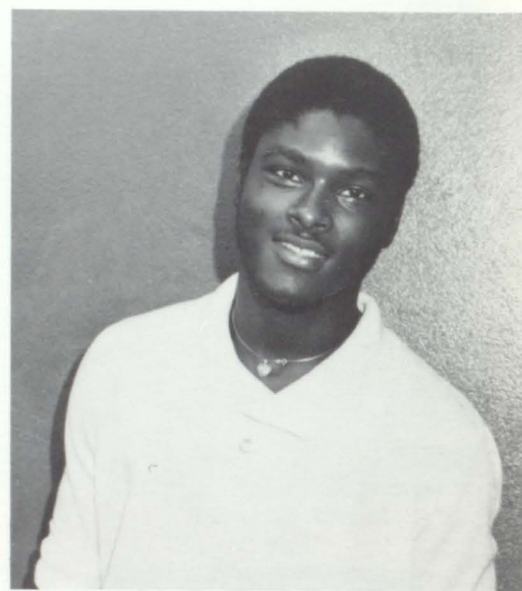
TAMMIE DAVIS
"Tam"



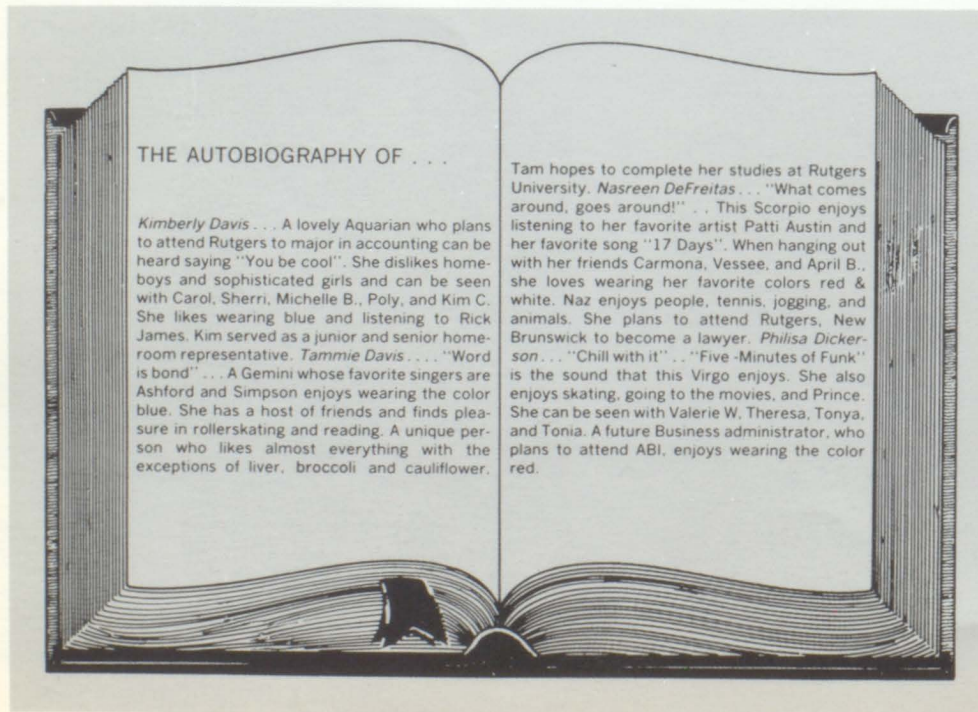
NASREEN SHAKIRA
DEFREITAS
"Naz"



PHILISA DICKERSON
"Lisa"



Hurry up I have a class.



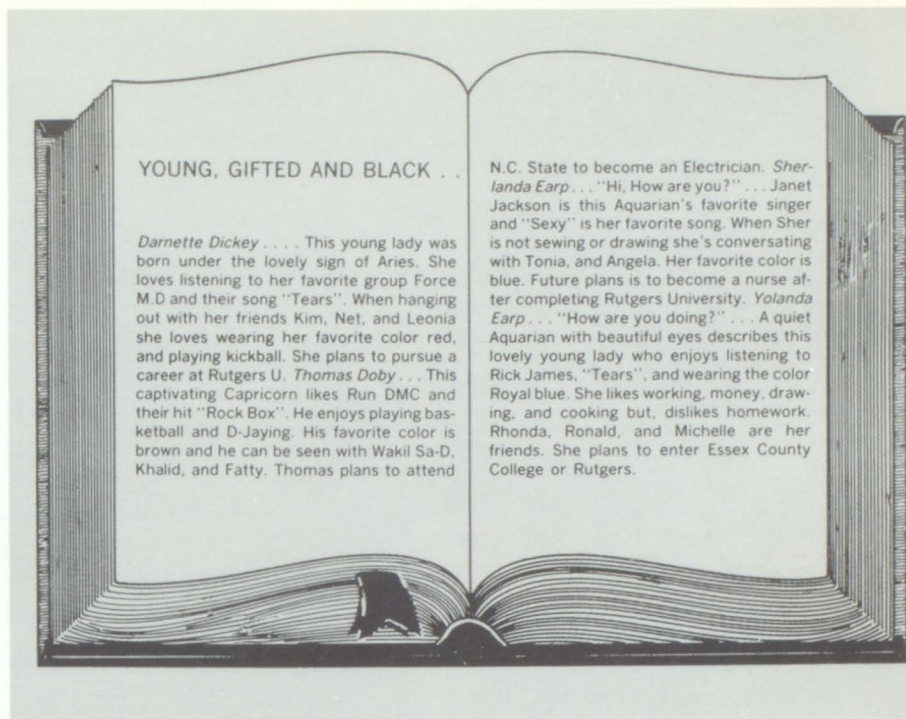
Yvette Daniels (50's Day)



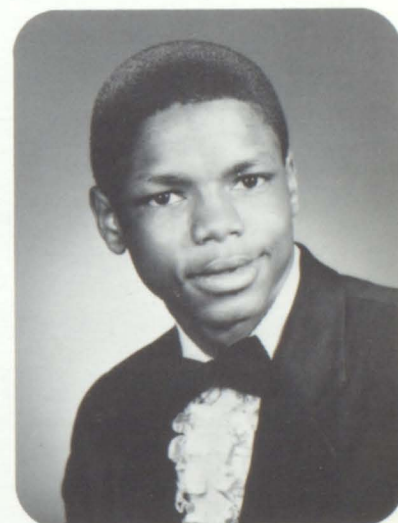
Tonya writing Mrs. Millers' notes.



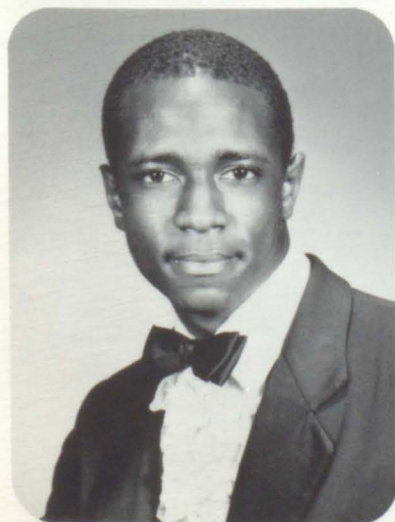
Shaleeah bringing back the 50's.



DARNETTE DICKEY
"Thelma"



THOMAS DOBY
"Doby-D"



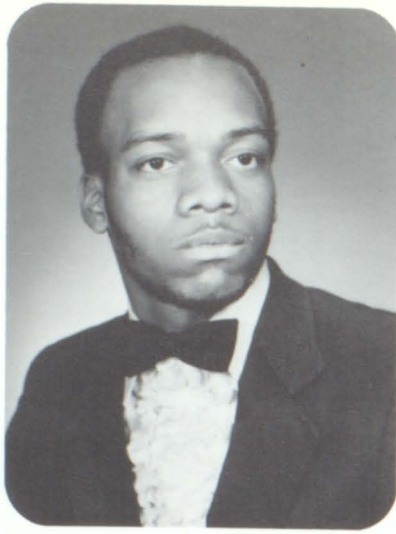
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"Kev"



SHERLANDA EARP
"Sher"



YOLANDA EARP
"Landa"



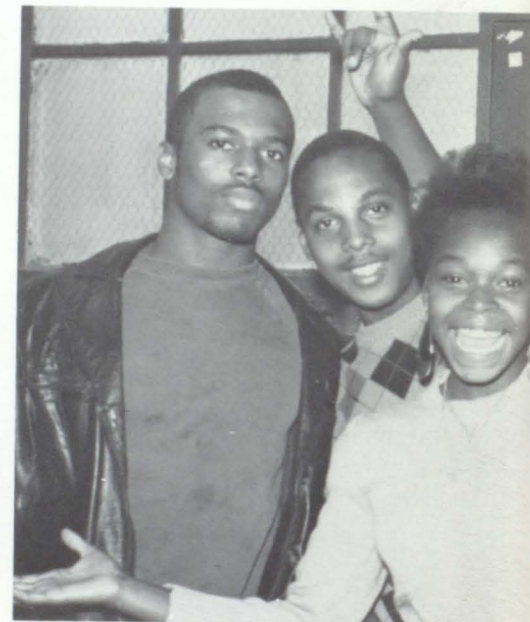
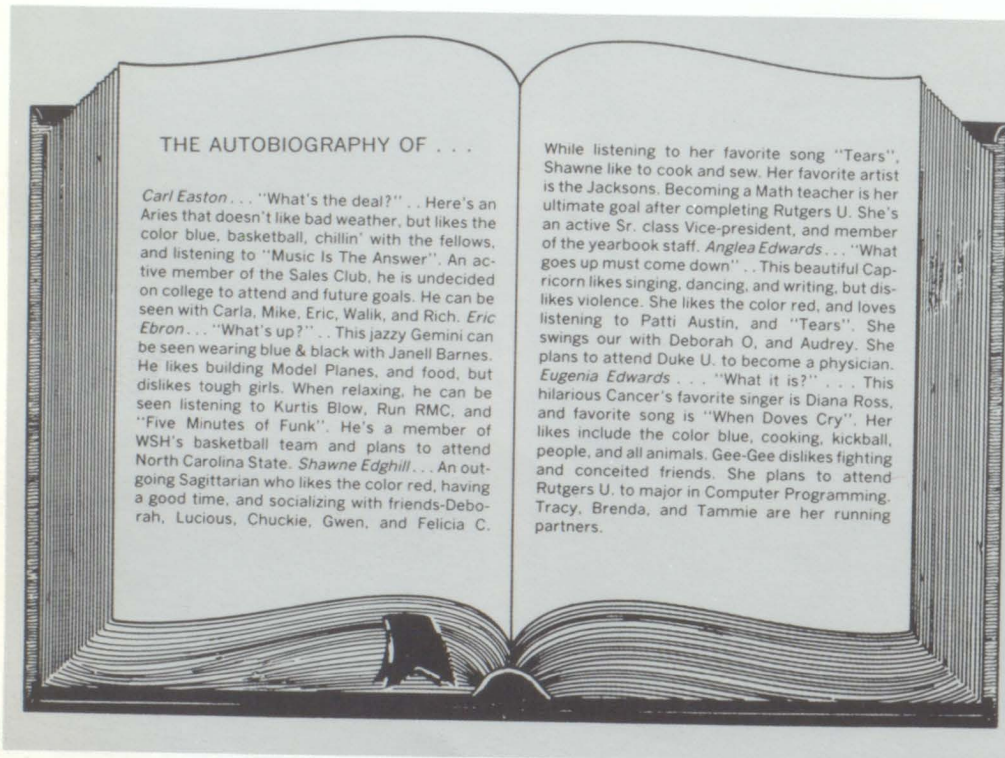
CARL EASTON
"CE"



ERIC EBRON
"Easy-E"



Audrey's bringing in the 50's.



Mona standing with the guys.



SHAWNE EDGHILL
"Smiley"



ANGELA DENISE EDWARDS
"Angie"



EUGENIA EDWARDS
"Gee-Gee"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Velma Ellis . . . "So" . . . This quiet Cancer likes the color blue, having fun, and listening to Blue Magic, and "Tears". She can be seen wearing red while with Brenda Hargrove and Stefon Evans. She plans to attend Rutgers University. Waudda Faried . . . "You aint really down" . . . This future olympic star, born under the sign of Gemini enjoys wearing the color burgundy, skating,

the song "Tears" and communicating with Valerie Curtis. Tennessee State is her choice for college, but she's undecided about her major. Toni Fields . . . This out-going Capricorn likes succeeding, and listening to Peabo Bryson's "I Love You". She enjoys singing, sewing, and wearing the color black. In her spare time she can be seen with Kenyetta and Denise. She's actively a member of the Drama Club and Chorus. She plans to attend Montclair State to become an X-ray technician.



MARIE ELLIOTT
"Toni"



Sheila, MiMi, & Laura



VELMA ELLIS
"Sweet Renee"



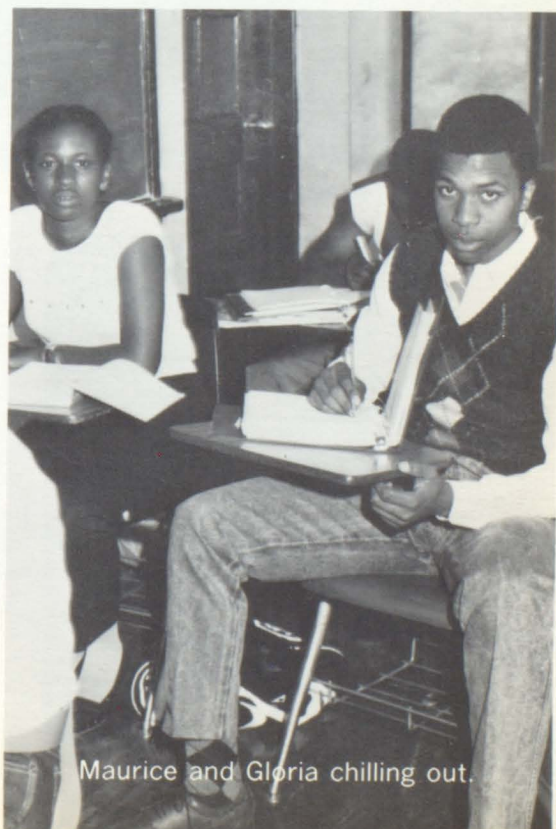
CELESTE EVANS



WAUDDA FARIED
"Whada"



TONI FIELDS
"Love"



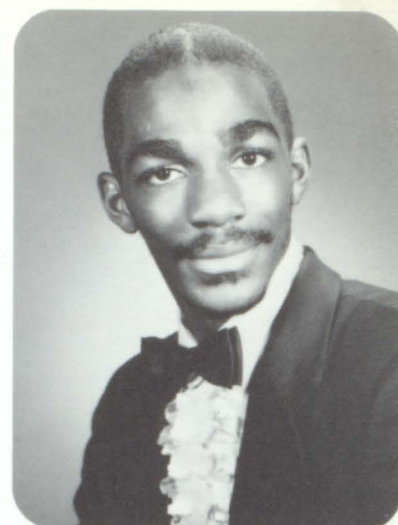
Maurice and Gloria chilling out.



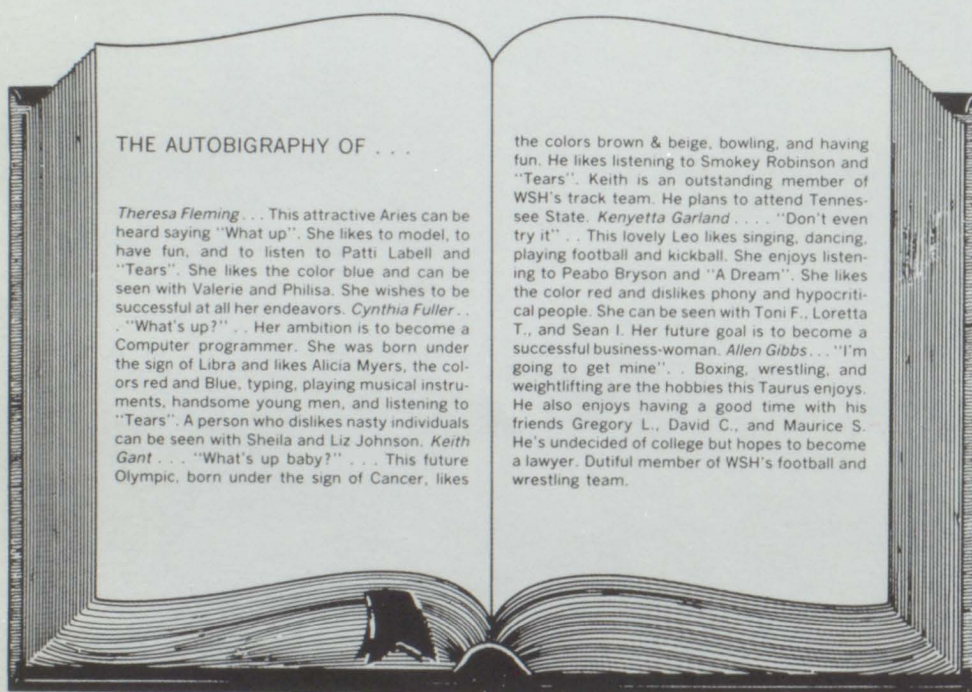
THERESA FLEMING
"Tee"



CYNTHIA FULLER
"Red Bone"



KEITH GANT
"Ali-Gant"



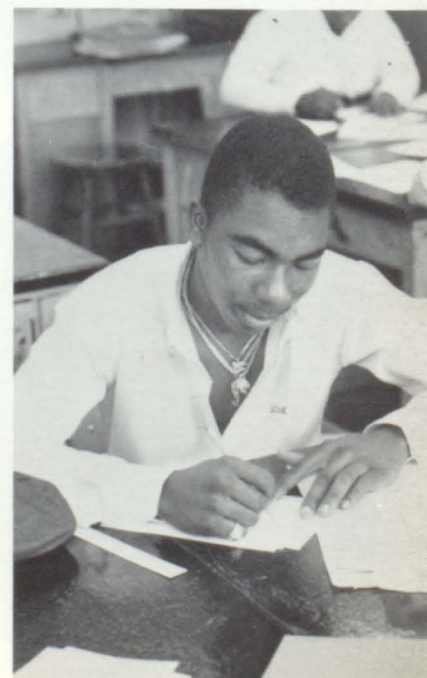
Shonda was doing her work



KENYETTA GARLAND
"Dimples"



ALLEN GIBBS
"Ai"

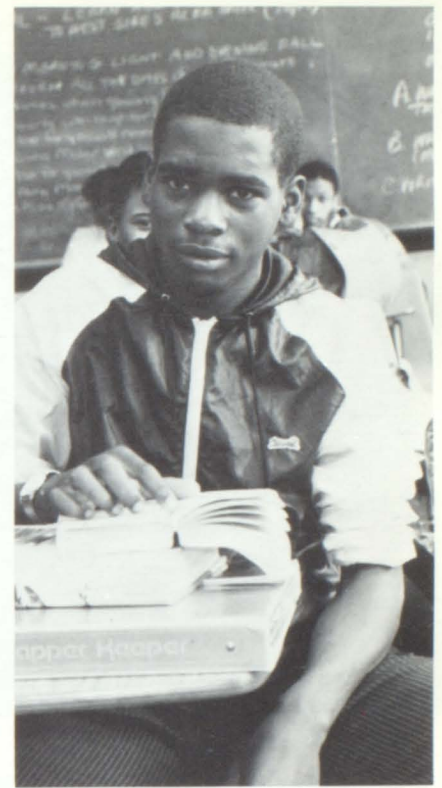


Robert is content with his work

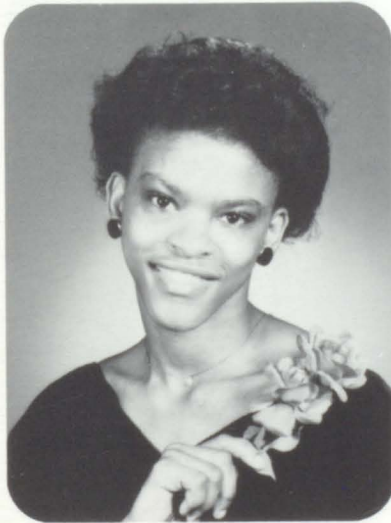
YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Joyce Gibson . . . This gorgeous Gemini likes to hear "God Told Moses" and her favorite color is blue. She's always saying "Praise the Lord". She likes playing volleyball, and going to church. Her friends are Aletha and Cheynca. She plans to attend Kean College. *Howard Glee* . . . "Al-right" . . . This future lawyer plans to attend Jersey City State College. He likes listening to "Roxanne" and Prince, sports, girls, bike riding, basketball, and the color blue. He's an active member of WSH's Baseball team. *Rodney Golden* . . . "Get off it" . . . This friendly Aquarius

plans to attend N.C. State to major in computers. His favorite color is gray and he likes to drive, to play basketball and football, and females. While listening to Patti Labell or "Five Minutes of Funk", he can be seen with Wink, Vince, Tony, and Rocky. *Renee Graham* . . . "Stop it!" . . . When she's not reading, singing, or writing poetry she's usually going to the movies or skating with Gloria N., Sharon B., Delphia H., Rosa H., and David C. She likes listening to Patti Labell and "What's Love Got To Do With It". She plans to become a Computer Technician.



Robert's reading in Ms. Miller's class.



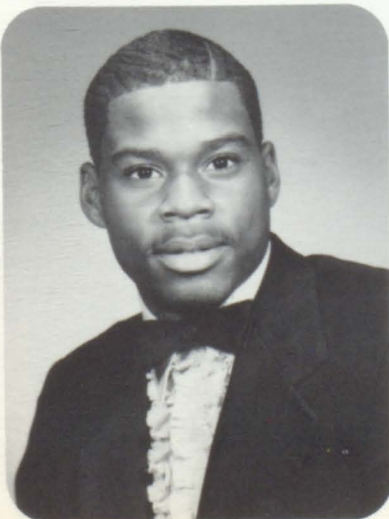
JOYCE GIBSON
"Mary"



HOWARD GLEE
"Howie"



Nelitha & Teadra in DE.



RODNEY GOLDEN
"Hassan"



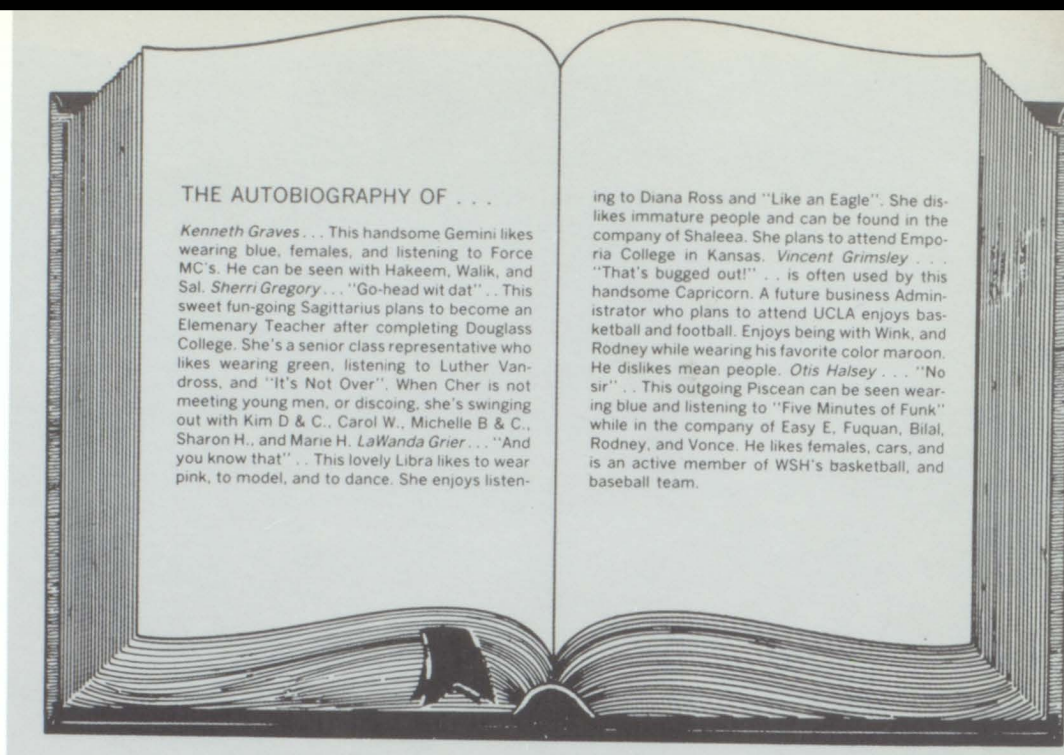
RENEE GRAHAM
"Na-Na"



RENEE GRANGER
"Re-Re"



Don't take my picture!



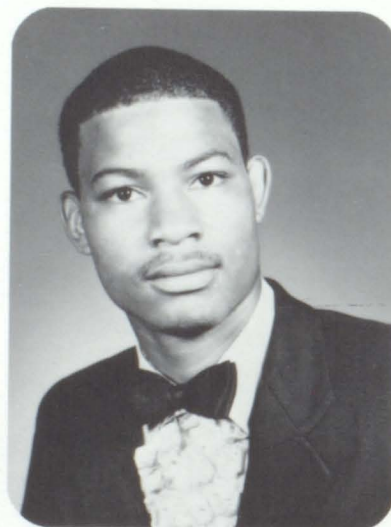
THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF . . .

Kenneth Graves . . . This handsome Gemini likes wearing blue, females, and listening to Force MC's. He can be seen with Hakeem, Walik, and Sal. *Sherri Gregory* . . . "Go-head wit dat" . . . This sweet fun-going Sagittarius plans to become an Elemenary Teacher after completing Douglass College. She's a senior class representative who likes wearing green, listening to Luther Vandross, and "It's Not Over". When Cher is not meeting young men, or discoing, she's swinging out with Kim D & C., Carol W., Michelle B & C., Sharon H., and Marie H. *LaWanda Grier* . . . "And you know that" . . . This lovely Libra likes to wear pink, to model, and to dance. She enjoys listen-

ing to Diana Ross and "Like an Eagle". She dislikes immature people and can be found in the company of Shaleea. She plans to attend Emporia College in Kansas. *Vincent Grimsley* . . . "That's bugged out!" . . . is often used by this handsome Capricorn. A future business Administrator who plans to attend UCLA enjoys basketball and football. Enjoys being with Wink, and Rodney while wearing his favorite color maroon. He dislikes mean people. *Otis Halsey* . . . "No sir" . . . This outgoing Piscean can be seen wearing blue and listening to "Five Minutes of Funk" while in the company of Easy E, Fuquan, Bilal, Rodney, and Vonce. He likes females, cars, and is an active member of WSH's basketball, and baseball team.



This is the first "A" I received this year.



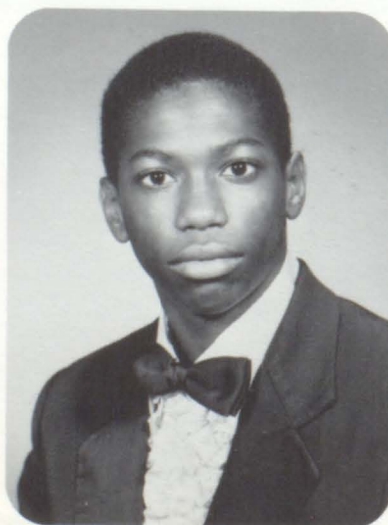
KENNETH GRAVES
"Suton"



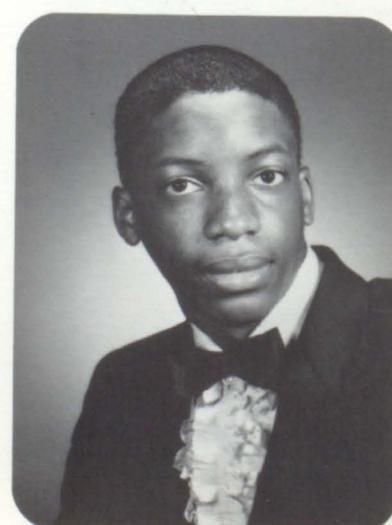
SHERRI GREGORY
"Cher"



LAWANDA GRIER
"Munshkin"



VINCENT GRIMSLEY
"Cracker Jack"



OTIS HALSEY
"Wink"



ROSA HAMILTON
"Boot"



KEISHA HARGROVE
"Keita"



SHEILA HARRIS
"Shank"



PEGGIE HATTEN
"Cookie"



SHARON HAYDEN
"Dark & Lovely"

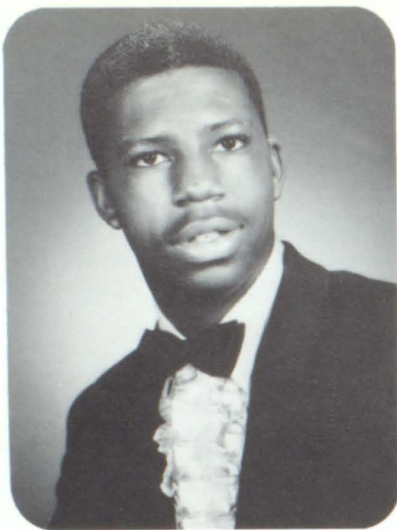
YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Rosa Hamilton . . . This quiet young lady was born under the sign of Leo. She enjoys listening to Lionel Richie and "Tears", reading, and singing. Blue is her favorite color . . . loves hanging out with Karen, Audrey, Angela, and Naz. She plans to become a Doctor and is in the school's chorus. *Keisha Hargrove . . .* "Stop playing around" . . . A quiet Gemini who minds her business and wastes no time in class. She enjoys the song "Tears" and Denise Williams. When not with friends Kim, Chimmey, and Gloria, Keita can be found reading or playing kickball. Dislikes immature and phony people, but likes the color blue. Plans to attend a business school for a business career. *Sheila Harris . . .* "You crazy" . . . This energetic Gemini likes skating, dancing, acting, and honest people. She likes to listen to Diana Ross's "Swept Away" when not in the company of Stacey, Retta, Boo-Boo, MiMi, and

the Class of 85. Her favorite color is red and she's actively in the Dance club, Student Council, Yearbook staff, and a Co-captain of the cheerleading squad. She plans to attend Glassboro College to major in Accounting. *Peggie Hatten . . .* "I can do anything I want if I put my mind to it" . . . Failing classes is what this serious Sagittarius can do without. She likes school, dancing, soap operas, the color blue, track, and "Truly" by Lionel Richie. She can be seen with Charlene. *Sharon Hayden . . .* "You're rough killer" . . . Montclair State College is where this gregarious Scorpion plans to attend to major in Business Administration. She likes listening to her favorite song "You And I" along with Teddy Pendergrass. Wearing her favorite color red, she reminisces about modeling, dancing, and the fun times she spend with her man Hock. She enjoys being around Chelly M., MiMi, Sherri G., Sabrina A., and Deanna M. Her dislikes are of phony & naive people. She's a diligent member of the yearbook staff and a senior class representative.



Amin and Gerardo-going over today's activities



KEITH HAYES
"Raheem"



MARIE HAYNES
"Ree-Ree"



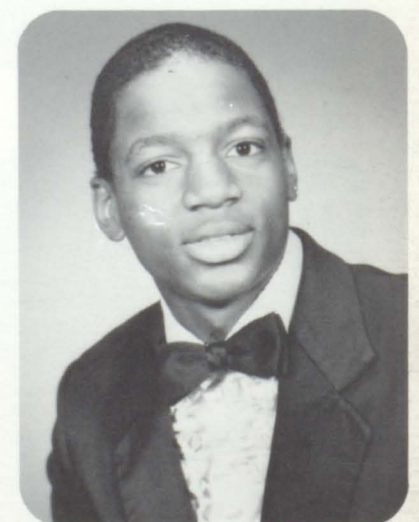
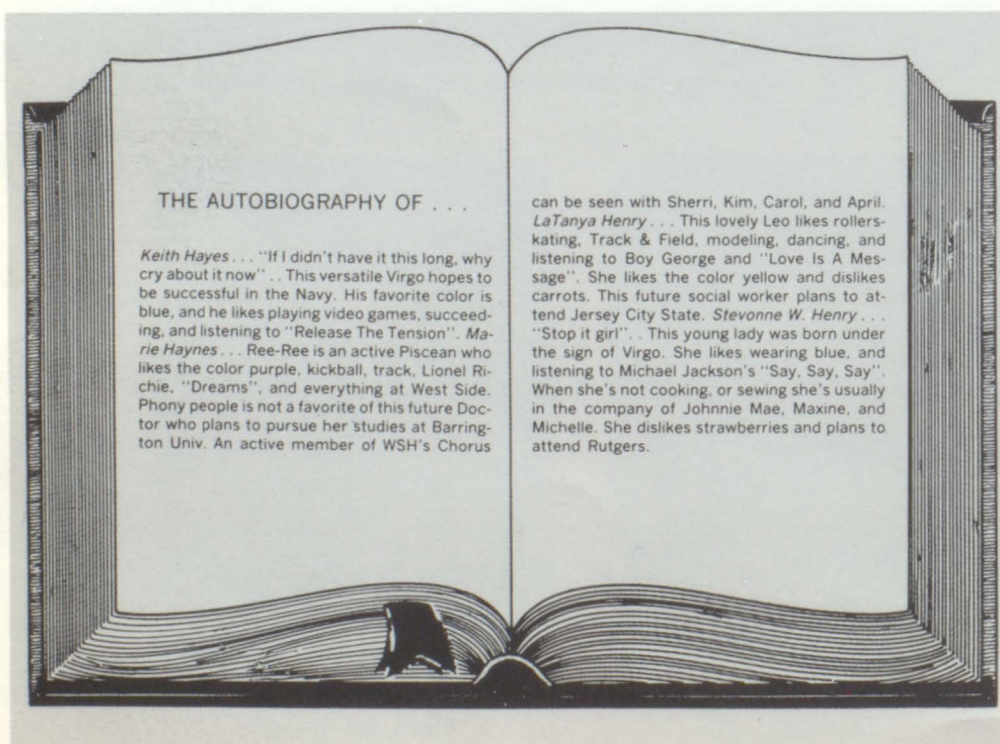
LATANYA HENRY
"Tee"



Theresa, David, Patricia—Posing for the picture



STEVONNE W. HENRY
"Steph"



DWAYNE HESTER
"Kasim"



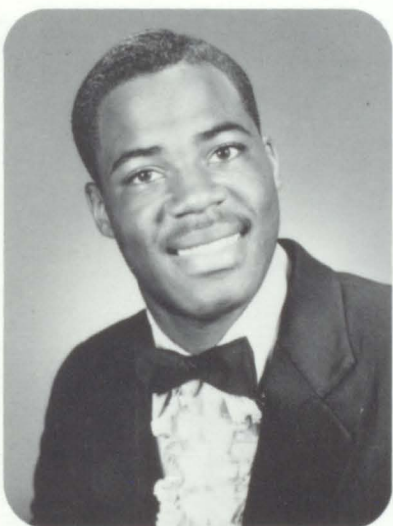
PATRICIA HESTER
"Pat"



DELPHIA HEYWARD-BEY
"Del"



RHOBERTA M. HILL
"Bobby"



KENT HINES
"Salaam"



BRENDA HINTON
"Possum"



Pernell, Dave, Shawn writing notes in class

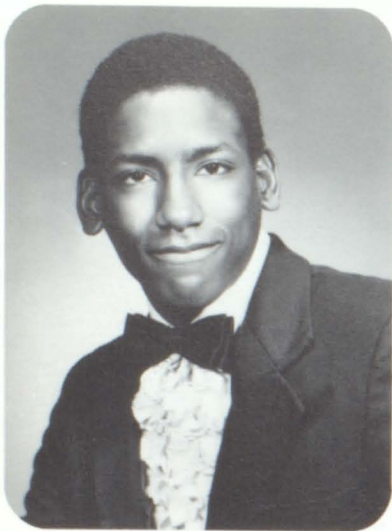
YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Patricia Hester . . . "Don't even try it" . . . This Aries is usually found with Andre and Angela. The future Computer programmer hopes to attend Essex College of Business. Pat enjoys Alicia Myers, "Set It Off", the color blue, sewing, traveling, and partying. *Delphia Heyward-Bey* . . . "How you doing honey" . . . is what this gregarious Libra always say. She likes intelligent people and mature guys. She would most likely be seen dancing to her favorite artist Diana Ross or spending time with her best friends Melissa C., Sharon B., and Dwight W. She was actively involved in the chorus, dance club, cheering squad, and Senior Class Committee. One day

she hopes to establish her own C.P.A. firm after completing Howard University. *Rhoberta M. Hill* . . . "Well, you gonna do the work or not", This Scorpion likes listening to Lionel Richie, "You, Me, and He", swimming, gym, basketball, football, tennis, and the color black. She hopes to be a manager and attend a business school. *Brenda Hinton* . . . "Be like that sometimes" . . . This captivating Capricorn enjoys listening to "Tears" and Tina Turner. You may see her wearing red & black while in the company of Walik, Theresa J., Zelma P., Lisa T., and Lakisha B. She likes meeting people and she wants to become a model. She is a member of the proclaimed WSH's Softball team. Possum plans to attend Kean College.



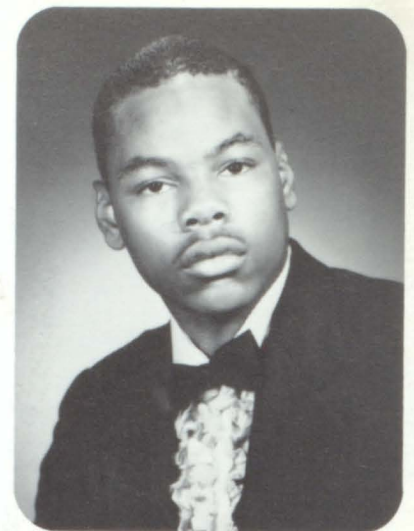
Alice Rosa copies assignment.



RAYMOND HOLTE
"Ray"



PATRICIA HOUSE
"Red"



ERIC M. HUMPHREY
"Hassan"



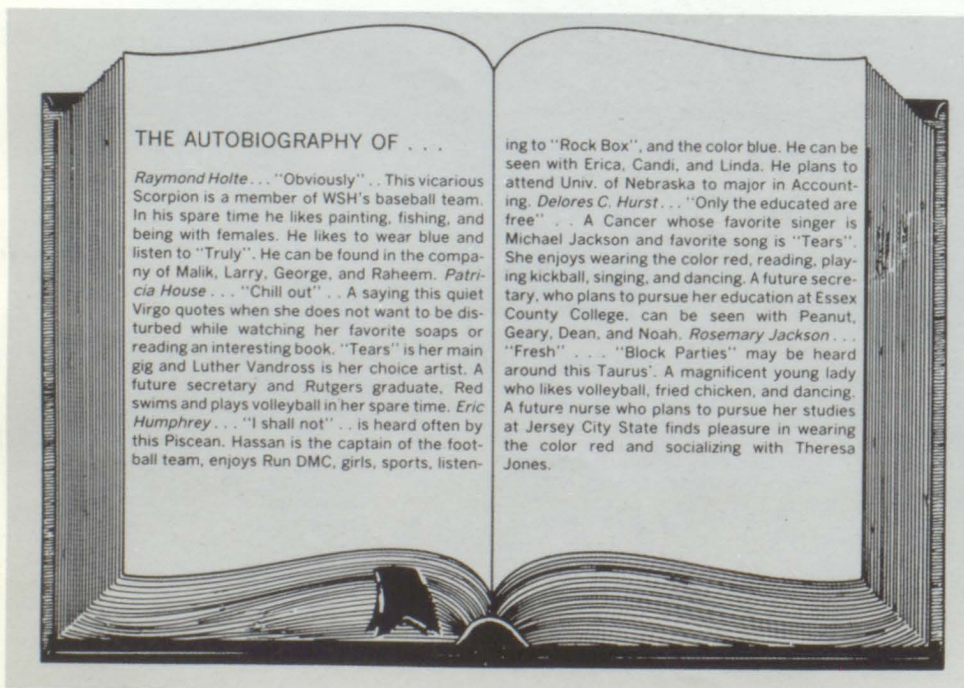
DELORES C. HURST
"De"



ROSEMARY JACKSON
"Ro-Ro"



Venus loves to pose



Raymond's studying for test



Jackie, James, and Sheila chillin' out



Missy & Woo (just friends)

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . .

*Catherine E. James . . . "Hey baby" . . . is usually heard from this highly academic (ranking 9) Sagittarian who enjoys skating, dancing, singing and having fun. A future president of a Corporation dislikes phonies, liars, troublemakers, but likes reading, writing, and guys with pretty brown eyes. She enjoys listening to "Always and Forever", and wearing Turquoise. She can be seen with Sha-Rock. Elaine plans to attend William Patterson College. **Johnnie Mae James** . . . "It aint no thang" . . . This outgoing Pisces likes listening to Luther Vandross, "A Dream", skating, dancing, having fun, wearing red, and going out with Carol W., Katrina L., Charlene F., Paula L., and Stevonne H. She dislikes phony people and homeboys. She would like to attend Stockton State to major in Business Administration. **Joy Elaine James** . . . "I aint doing nothing" . . . A*

*new comer to West Side who was born under the sign of Sagittarius, adores the Whispers and the color pink. Enjoys dancing, cooking, and reading while listening to her main song "Chocolate Girl". Tamikah and Michelle are her running buddies, but she also likes meeting new friends. Smiley enjoys helping people and gets upset when people are disrespectful. After completing N.C. A&T, she hopes to become a Psychologist. **Linda Jamison** . . . "Beat it" . . . This Aquarius likes listening to Michael Jackson's "Thriller", singing, dancing, and wearing red. Her friends are David and Tawanda. She plans to become an actress or singer and attend Taylor Institute. **Tangela R. Jett** . . . "Don't even try it" . . . This sophisticated Sagittarian likes reading, sewing, being friendly, and joking around. She likes to wear red, Alecia Myers, "Tears", and being with Sabrina C., and Derrick W. She would like to attend Taylor's Institute to become a Data Processor.*



CATHERINE E. JAMES
"Elaine"



JOHNNIE MAE JAMES
"Chink"



JOY ELAINE JAMES
"Smiley"



LINDA JAMISON
"Billie"



TANGELA R. JETT



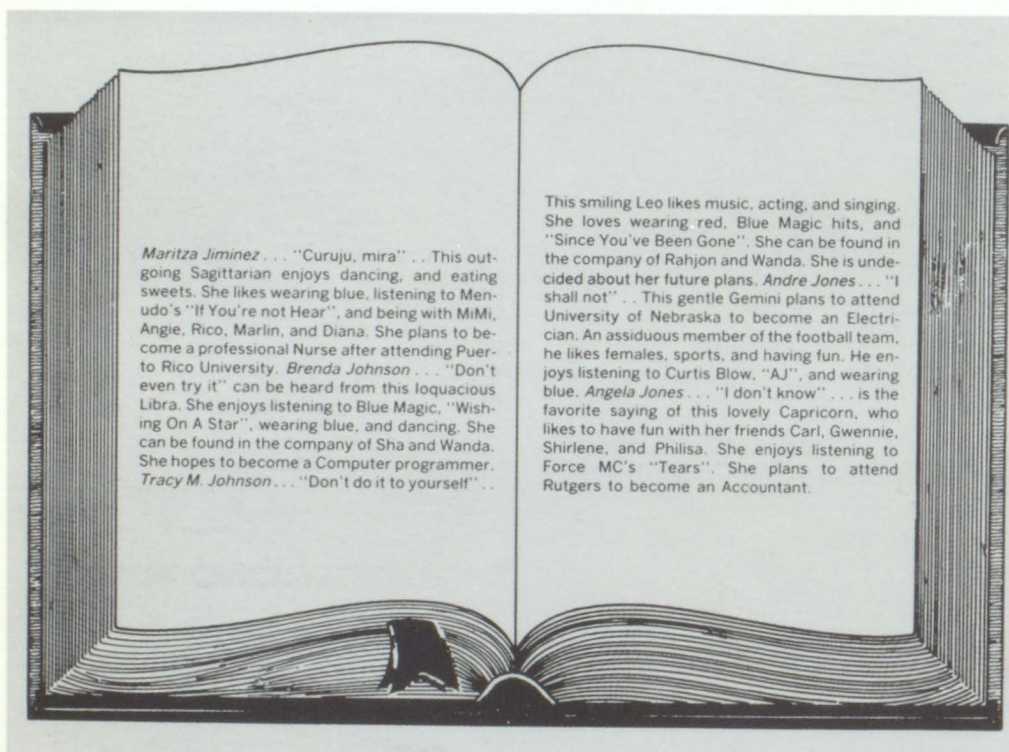
MARITZA JIMENEZ
"Prieta"



BRENDA JOHNSON
"Bren"



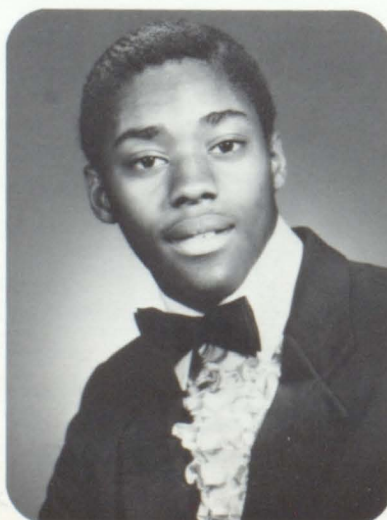
Sharon's taking notes



Cheryl & Sandy—Inseparable



TRACY M. JOHNSON
"Rasheedah"



ANDRE JONES
"Bow"

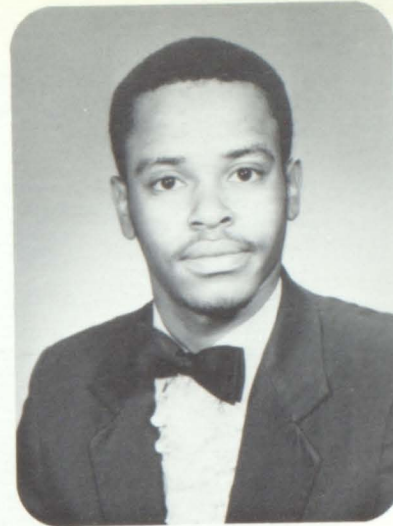


ANGELA JONES
"Smiley"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Clarence Jones . . . "Chill out" . . . This Piscean likes blue, Run DMC, and "Sucker MC". When he's not getting "spifed" up he's usually found in the company of Rich, Kent, Walik, Hak, and Angie. He would like to own his business and attend M.T.A. Technical School. *Lucious Jones* . . . "Stop sweating me" . . . This fan of Force MD'S likes driving, sports, females, and wearing gray. He enjoys listening to "Tears" with Shawne, and can be found with any member of the Class of 85. He would like to attend Montclair State to major in Computer Science. *Theresa Jones* . . . "You got to be for real" . . . This talented Taurus loves modeling, skating, dancing, and wearing pink. She enjoys listening to

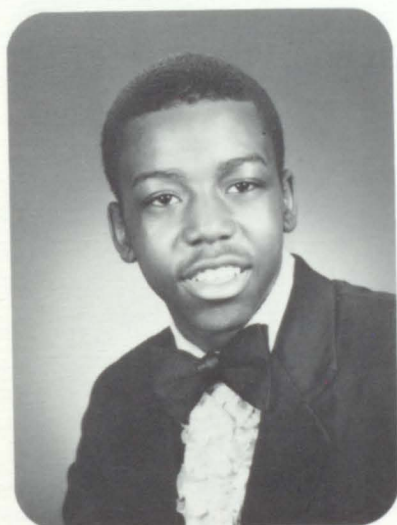
Deniece Williams and "Black Butterfly". She can be found in the company of Brenda, Paula, and Sylvia when she's not traveling or meeting new people. As a cheerleader she wishes to finish high school and become successful. *Venus Jones* . . . "Word is bond" . . . Born under the sourceful sign of Scorpio, this lady likes listening to Curtis Blow and "It's Yours", wearing red, football, and cheering. She can be seen with Chelly, Sandy, Mia, Bootsie, and Nella. She wishes to join the army and be successful. *Marie Ann Kennedy* . . . "You're Crazy" . . . This beautiful Taurus enjoys skating, volleyball, and being with her friends Diane B., Sharon L., Tyona E., LaWanda. Her favorite singer is Jermaine Jackson and her favorite song is "Dynamite". You might see her going places or talking to people in her favorite colors Turquoise and pink. Pumpkin plans to attend Rutgers University.



CLARENCE JONES
"Sal"



Barbara enjoys her lunch



LUCIOUS JONES
"Hardrock"



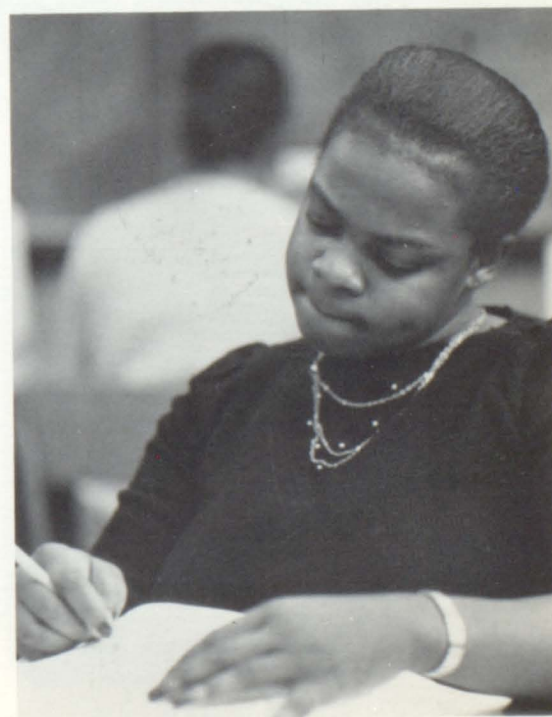
THERESA JONES
"Miss America"



VENUS JONES
"Sue-ski"



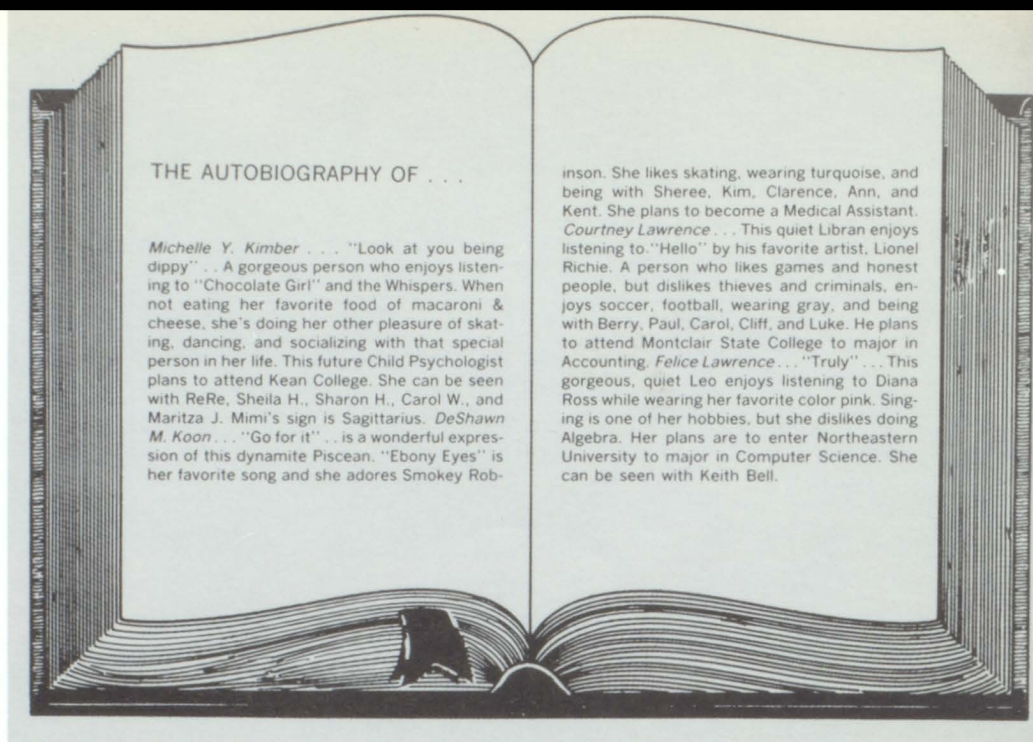
MARIE ANN KENNEDY
"Pumpkin"



Rhoberta does well in class



Tracy's making a decision.



Michelle Y. Kimber . . . "Look at you being dippy" . . . A gorgeous person who enjoys listening to "Chocolate Girl" and the Whispers. When not eating her favorite food of macaroni & cheese, she's doing her other pleasure of skating, dancing, and socializing with that special person in her life. This future Child Psychologist plans to attend Kean College. She can be seen with ReRe, Sheila H., Sharon H., Carol W., and Maritza J. Mimi's sign is Sagittarius. DeShawn M. Koon . . . "Go for it" . . . is a wonderful expression of this dynamite Piscean. "Ebony Eyes" is her favorite song and she adores Smokey Rob-

inson. She likes skating, wearing turquoise, and being with Sheree, Kim, Clarence, Ann, and Kent. She plans to become a Medical Assistant. Courtney Lawrence . . . This quiet Libran enjoys listening to "Hello" by his favorite artist, Lionel Richie. A person who likes games and honest people, but dislikes thieves and criminals, enjoys soccer, football, wearing gray, and being with Berry, Paul, Carol, Cliff, and Luke. He plans to attend Montclair State College to major in Accounting. Felice Lawrence . . . "Truly" . . . This gorgeous, quiet Leo enjoys listening to Diana Ross while wearing her favorite color pink. Singing is one of her hobbies, but she dislikes doing Algebra. Her plans are to enter Northeastern University to major in Computer Science. She can be seen with Keith Bell.



Tonya tells Tony about her typing assignment.



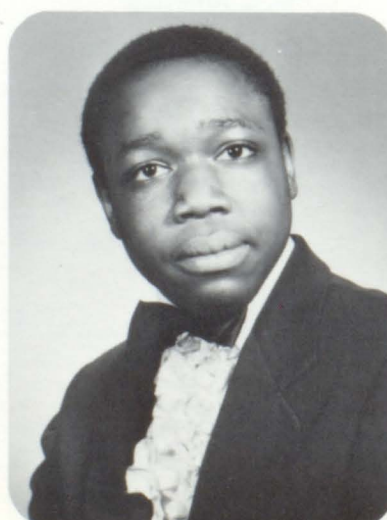
MICHELLE Y. KIMBER
"MiMi"



DESHAWN M. KOON
"Bright Eyes"



CRAIG LANDIS
"Linky"



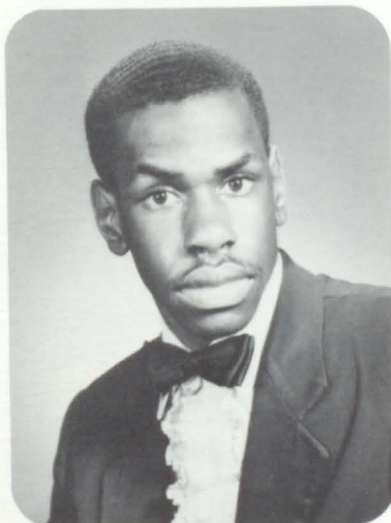
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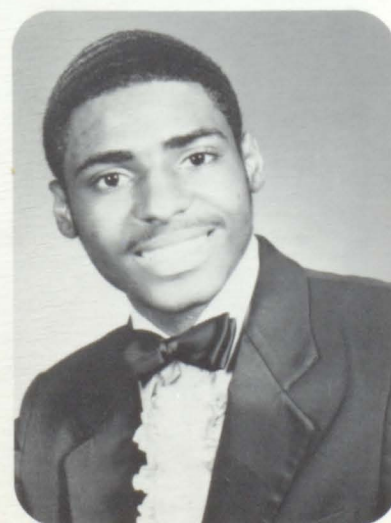
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PAULA N. LEAK
"Walikah"



ARTHUR LEWIS
"Art"



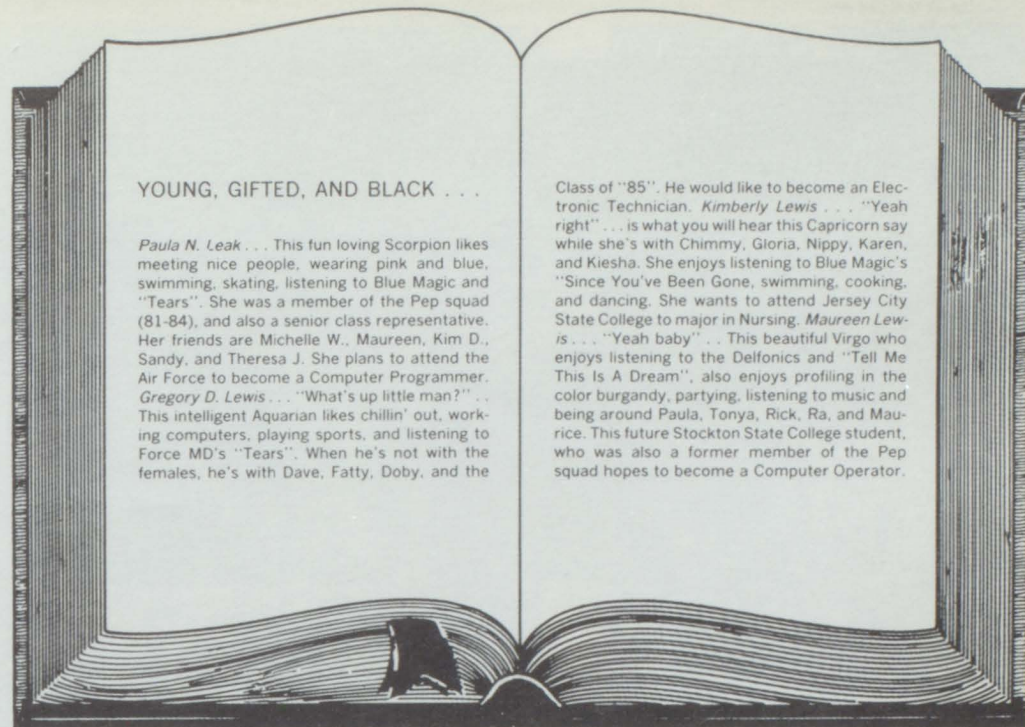
GREGORY D. LEWIS
"Killa Khalid"



KIMBERLY LEWIS
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MAUREEN LEWIS
"Reenie"



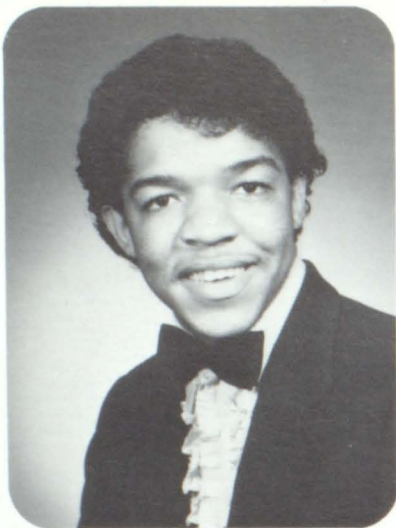
YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Paula N. Leak . . . This fun loving Scorpion likes meeting nice people, wearing pink and blue, swimming, skating, listening to Blue Magic and "Tears". She was a member of the Pep squad (81-84), and also a senior class representative. Her friends are Michelle W., Maureen, Kim D., Sandy, and Theresa J. She plans to attend the Air Force to become a Computer Programmer. *Gregory D. Lewis . . .* "What's up little man?" . . . This intelligent Aquarian likes chillin' out, working computers, playing sports, and listening to Force MD's "Tears". When he's not with the females, he's with Dave, Fatty, Doby, and the

Class of "85". He would like to become an Electronic Technician. *Kimberly Lewis . . .* "Yeah right" . . . is what you will hear this Capricorn say while she's with Chimmy, Gloria, Nippy, Karen, and Kiesha. She enjoys listening to Blue Magic's "Since You've Been Gone, swimming, cooking, and dancing. She wants to attend Jersey City State College to major in Nursing. *Maureen Lewis . . .* "Yeah baby" . . . This beautiful Virgo who enjoys listening to the Delfonics and "Tell Me This Is A Dream", also enjoys profiling in the color burgandy, partying, listening to music and being around Paula, Tonya, Rick, Ra, and Maurice. This future Stockton State College student, who was also a former member of the Pep squad hopes to become a Computer Operator.



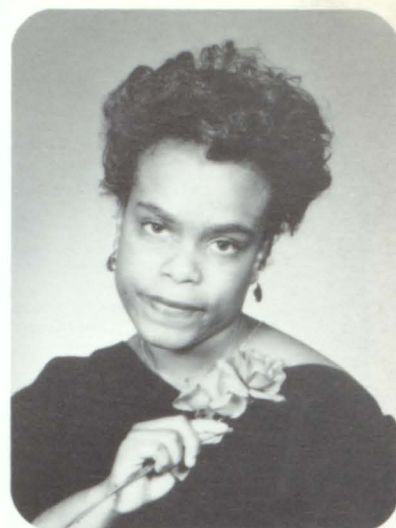
The Class of "85" is definitely alive



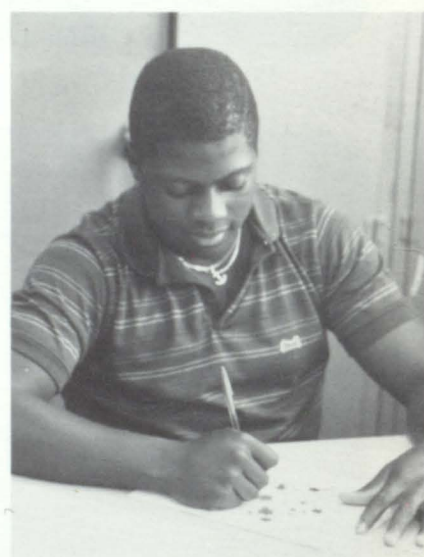
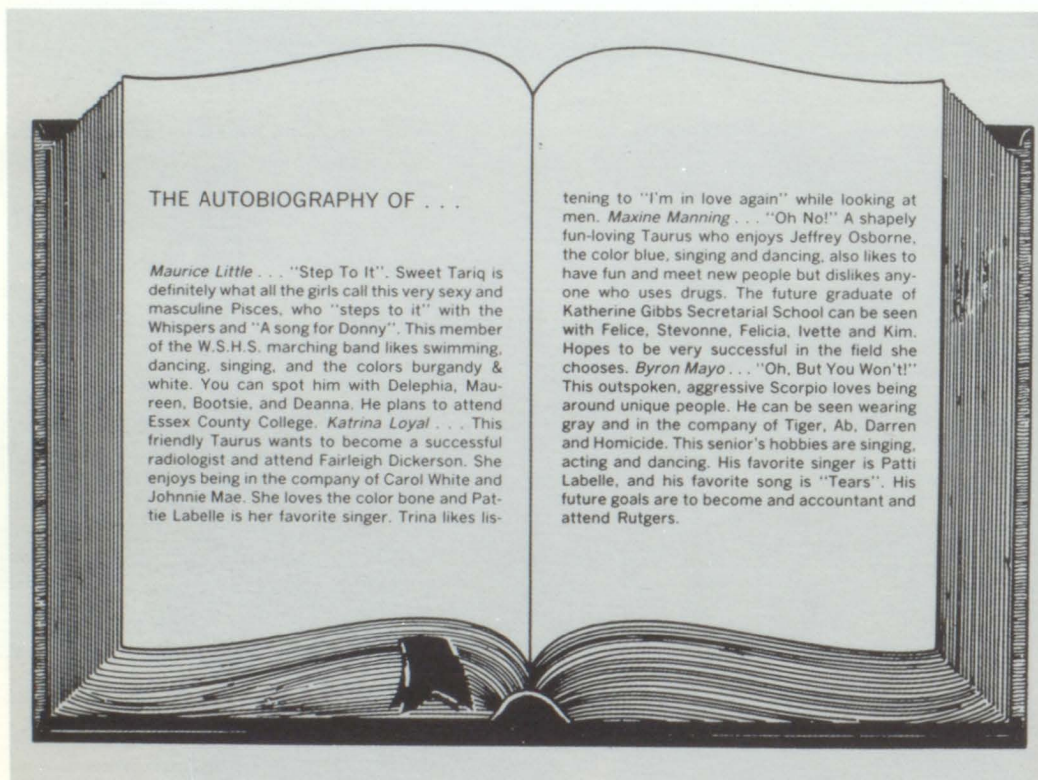
MAURICE LITTLE
"Sweet Tariq"



LISA LOWE



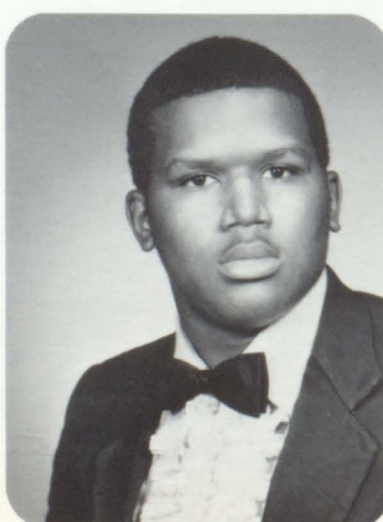
KATRINA LOYAL
"Trina"



Ronald Smallwood draws well.



MAXINE MANNING
"Newdy"



BYRON NAYO
"Na-Fu-Ali-Mu"



Mimi gets ready for show.

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK

Nina McDuffie . . . A gorgeous Libran who can be heard saying, "I don't care". Her friends are Robbie, Joy, Wil, and April. I am sure her future plans include one of her friends Robbie, whom she plans to marry and also to become a lawyer. She hopes to attend Glassboro State College. *Dijuan McFadden* . . . A Gemini who likes cheering and dancing and also likes being with friends Ahmad, Missy, Andre, Nell, and Sharon . . . favorite color is royal blue . . . Teddy Pendergrass is her favorite singer, and her favorite song is "Hold me in your Arms". After completing Bloomfield College, Shelly plans to become a nurse. She likes friendly people and dislikes phony ones. *Irene McFadden* . . . "So and Well" . . . A quiet, sweet, adorable Pisces who enjoys

wearing the color blue, typing, singing and going to the movies. "If Only You Knew" is her favorite song, and Patti LaBelle is her favorite artist. When not with Carl, Eastern, Pusilyn, Gloria or Lorraine, Loris can be found writing, reading or listening to music. A secretarial career is in the making at Empire Technical School. *Theresa McGhee* . . . Born under the sign of Leo, this lovely, friendly person dislikes disrespectful people but enjoys wearing the color blue, skating, singing and dancing. She hangs out with Ark, Lorenzo, Gwen and June. A member of the Student Council, Malikah plans to attend Bloomfield College and later to the armed forces. *Pusilyn McLean* . . . "Wah" . . . Leo is the sign of the quiet sophisticated young lady. A future Nurse, who is undecided about her college enjoys wearing the color red. Likes typing and dancing. She can be seen with Christine Powell, and Annette.



Brenda Hinton checks out her locker.



NINA McDUFFIE
"Ni-Ni"



DIJUAN McFADDEN
"Chelly"



Hey, hey, the gang's all here.



IRENE McFADDEN
"Loris"



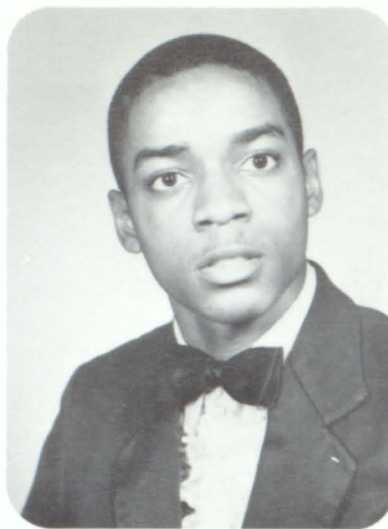
THERESA MCGHEE
"Malikah"



PUSILYN McLEAN
"Puze"



DESIREE MCMILLER
"Desi"



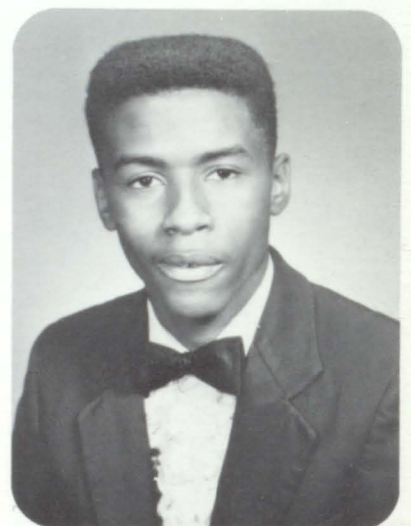
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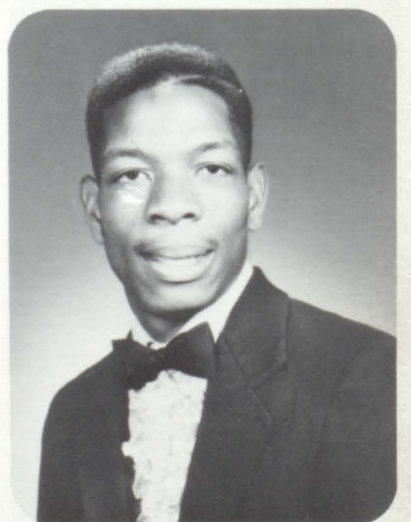
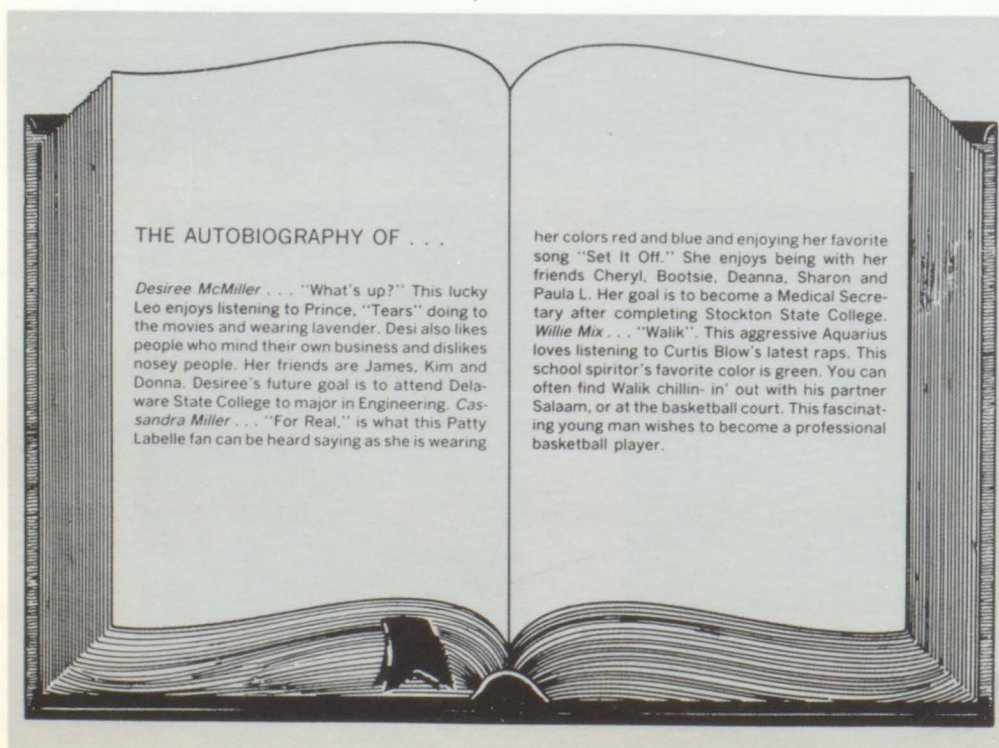
CASSANDRA MILLER
"Sandy"



Maritza, Angela, Juanita and Lanethin, Mr. Avnet and Mrs. White enjoy their meal at William Paterson College.



RAYMOND MILLER
"Ray"



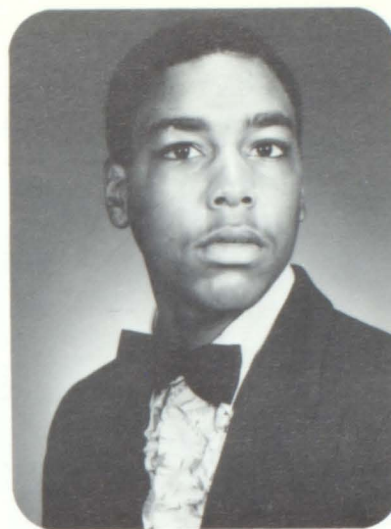
WILLIE MIX
"Walik"



LINDA RENEE MOORE
"Nikkie"



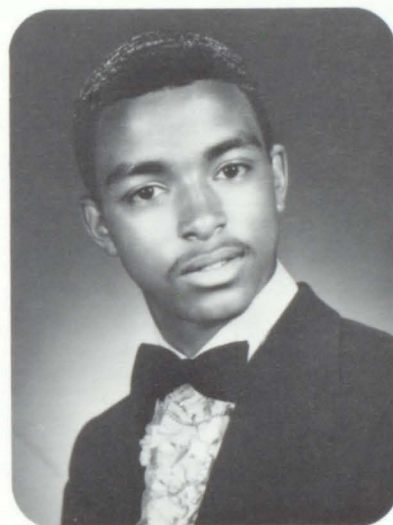
DEANNA MARIE MORRIS
"Shorty Love"



WILBUR MORRIS
"Omar"



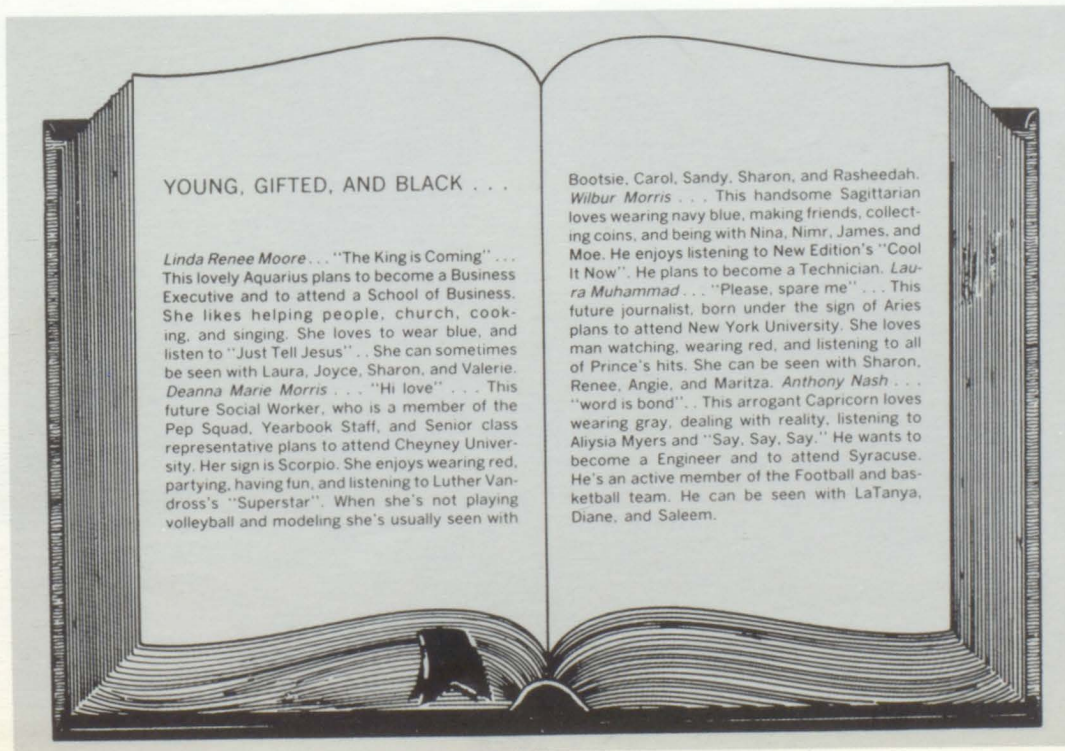
LAURA MUHAMMAD
"Lori"



ANTHONY NASH
"Shaheed"



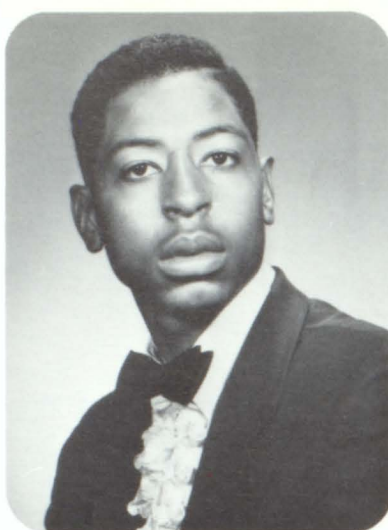
Raymond, Otis, Yvonne, David, Sheila, Maureen, Percell, and Paula check out magazines and newspapers.



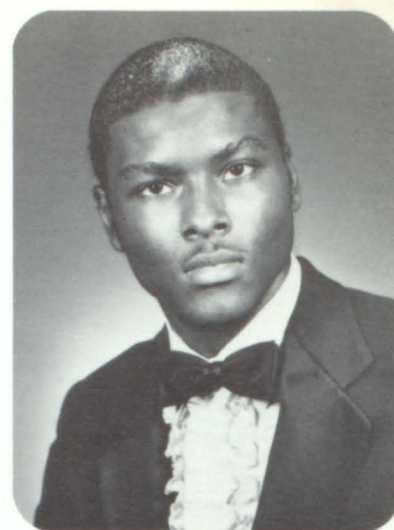
Greg Lewis enjoys bus ride to William Patterson



GLORIA NEWKIRK
"Jean"



JAMES NORMAN
"Zootmar"



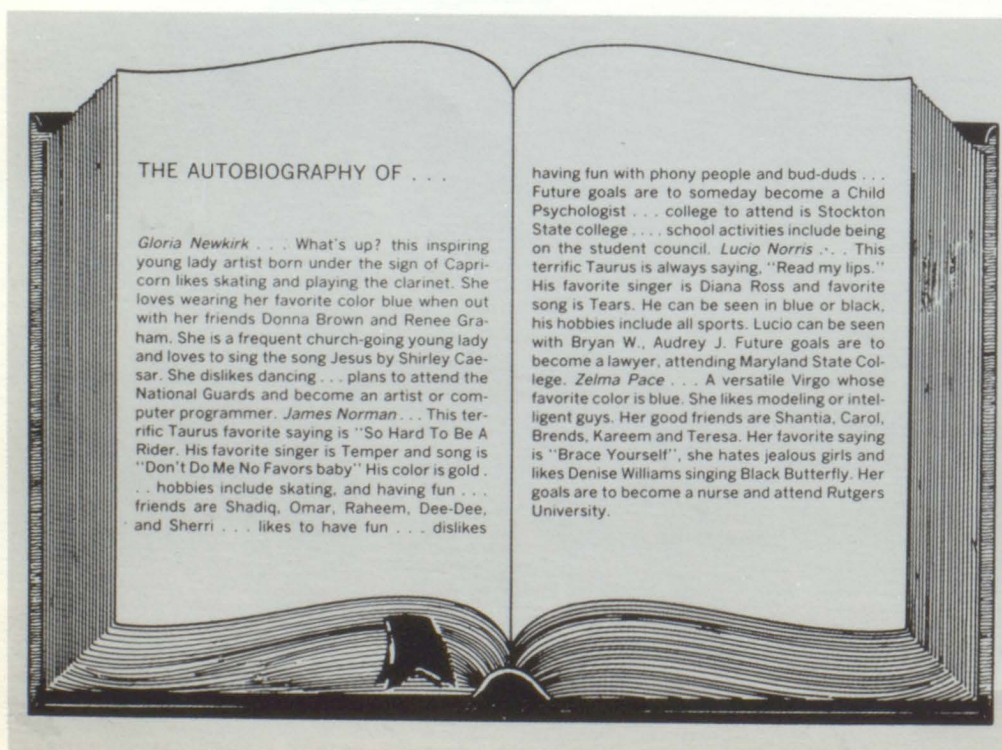
LUCIO NORRIS
"Snake"



Eric takes time out to read



DOROTHY ONEAL



ZELMA PACE
"Zak"



CRYSTAL PARKS
"Chris"



LORRAINE PAULIN
"Lateefah"



LEVITTA PETERSON
"Shanelle"



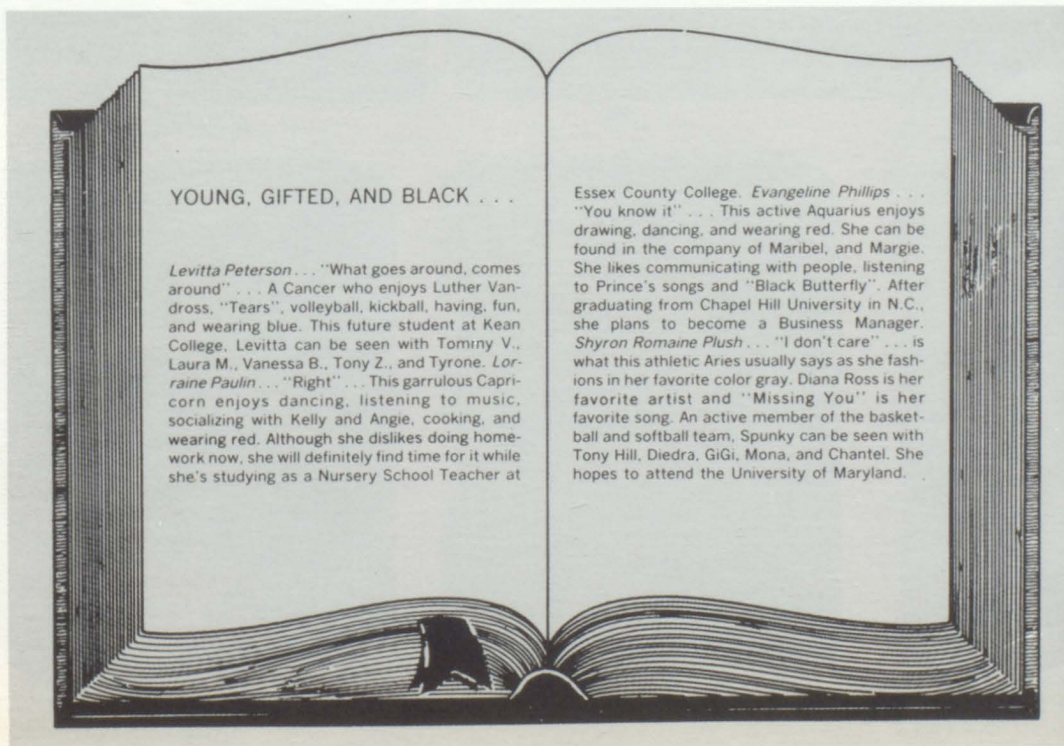
EVANGELINE PHILLIPS
"Angie"



SHYRON ROMAINE PLUSH
"Spunky"



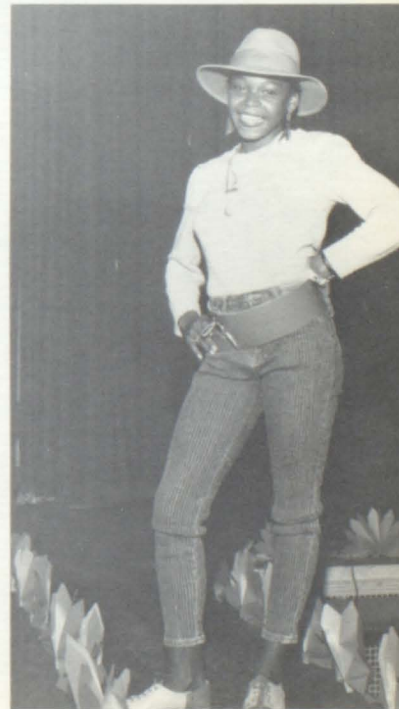
Sheila, Yvonne, and other seniors enjoy the food at William Petterson



YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Levitta Peterson . . . "What goes around, comes around" . . . A Cancer who enjoys Luther Vandross, "Tears", volleyball, kickball, having, fun, and wearing blue. This future student at Kean College, Levitta can be seen with Tominy V., Laura M., Vanessa B., Tony Z., and Tyrone. Lorraine Paulin . . . "Right" . . . This garrulous Capricorn enjoys dancing, listening to music, socializing with Kelly and Angie, cooking, and wearing red. Although she dislikes doing homework now, she will definitely find time for it while she's studying as a Nursery School Teacher at

Essex County College. Evangeline Phillips . . . "You know it" . . . This active Aquarius enjoys drawing, dancing, and wearing red. She can be found in the company of Maribel, and Margie. She likes communicating with people, listening to Prince's songs and "Black Butterfly". After graduating from Chapel Hill University in N.C., she plans to become a Business Manager. Shyron Romaine Plush . . . "I don't care" . . . is what this athletic Aries usually says as she fashions in her favorite color gray. Diana Ross is her favorite artist and "Missing You" is her favorite song. An active member of the basketball and softball team, Spunky can be seen with Tony Hill, Diedra, GiGi, Mona, and Chantel. She hopes to attend the University of Maryland.



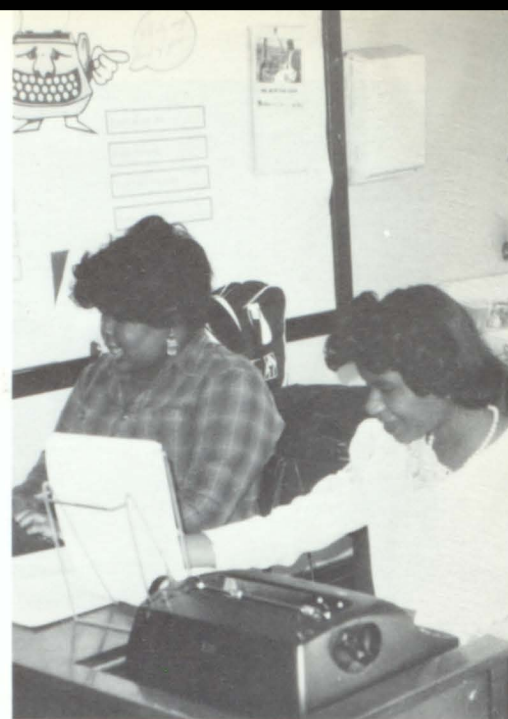
Mona profiles in the latest fashion



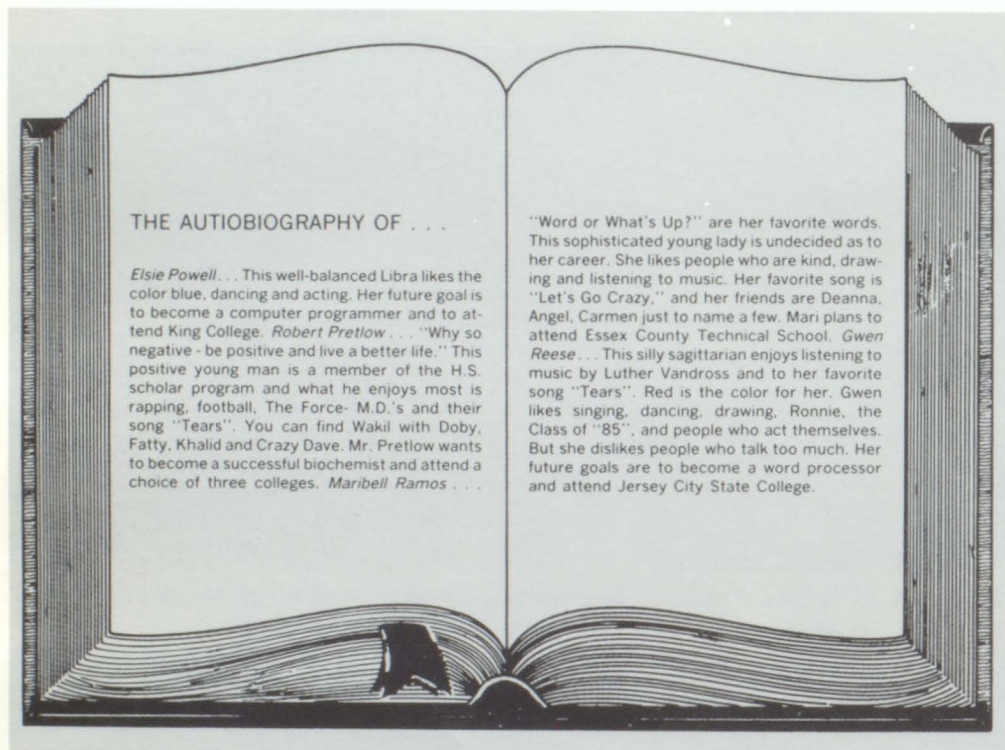
ELSIE POWELL



ANTHONY PRESCOTT



Rosalyn and Brenda learn a useful skill.



Arthur Chisolm



ROBERT PRETLOW
"Wakil"



MARIBELL RAMOS



GWENDOLYN REESE
"Bas"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Danielle Richardson . . . This unique Cancer likes having fun but dislikes phony people. She adores hanging out with Missy, Chelly and Tonya. Blue is her favorite color and her favorite singer is Alicia Meyers. Skating, and "Say, Say, Say" are also favorites. A member of the Pep Squad, Nell plans to attend Taylor Institute. *James Richards* . . . "What's Up?" . . . Sagittarian Rich loves Curtis Blow and the Force MD's "Tears". He also enjoys the colors blue, green, and yellow. . . playing paddleball and having fun. This future Cheyney State U. student can be seen with Westly, Tony, Robert, Elsie and others. *Carmen Rivera* . . . "Hi, Hello" is what you'll

hear this gregarious Aquarian say as she approaches you in her favorite colors—black, red, and blue. Carmen likes being friendly with everyone, especially Maria, Maritza, Inia, Ana and Lisette. This future teacher plans to attend college in Puerto Rico. *Luis Rivera* . . . This sensitive Sagittarian loves listening to Christian songs, especially by Bro. Jimmy Swaggart. You may see Luis sporting his color blue with Anthony Prescott and many young ladies. This future scientist, who plans to attend NJIT, likes collecting coins. *Ronald Roberts* . . . "Don't Ask Me!" . . . This intellectual, handsome Capricorn enjoys junk food, drawing, girls and Michael Jackson's "Beat It". Black is his favorite color and he dislikes drugs and smoking. This future Seton Hall student also enjoys drawing.



DANIELLE RICHARDSON
"Nell"



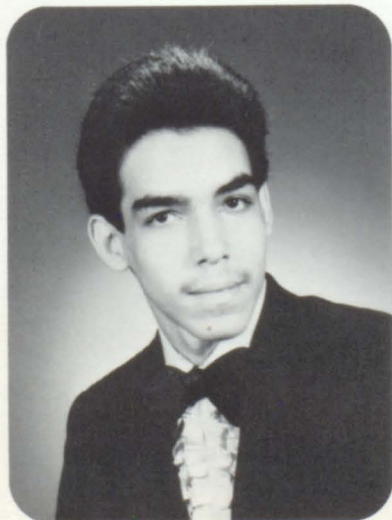
Kenyetta learns to cut wood.



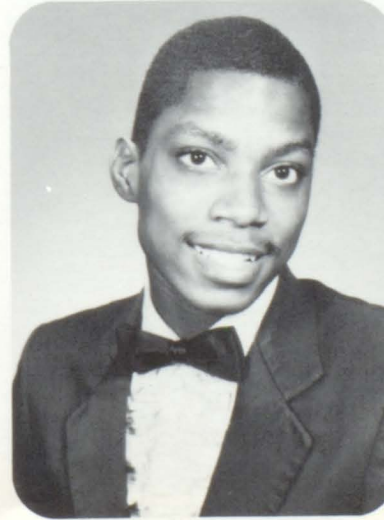
JAMES RICHARDS
"Richie"



CARMEN RIVERA
"Pity"



LUIS RIVERA
"Lou"



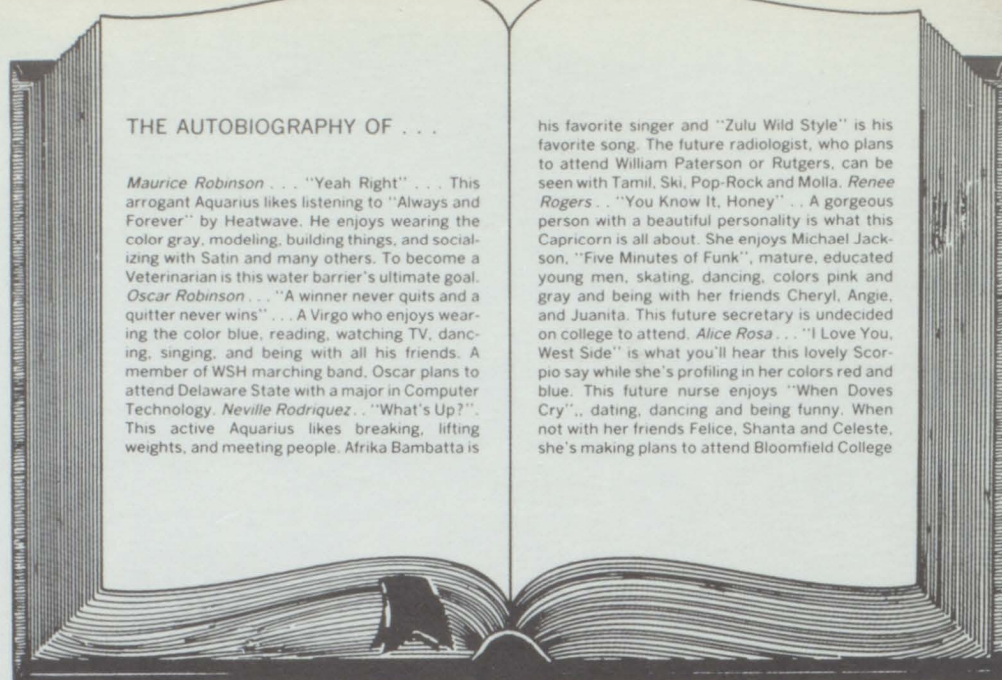
RONALD ROBERTS



Ladies of the "80's"—Bootsie, Robin, Michele and Sandy.



Guyron and Jeffrey, good friends.



THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF ...

Maurice Robinson . . . "Yeah Right" . . . This arrogant Aquarius likes listening to "Always and Forever" by Heatwave. He enjoys wearing the color gray, modeling, building things, and socializing with Satin and many others. To become a Veterinarian is this water barrier's ultimate goal. *Oscar Robinson* . . . "A winner never quits and a quitter never wins" . . . A Virgo who enjoys wearing the color blue, reading, watching TV, dancing, singing, and being with all his friends. A member of WSH marching band, Oscar plans to attend Delaware State with a major in Computer Technology. *Neville Rodriguez* . . . "What's Up?" . . . This active Aquarius likes breaking, lifting weights, and meeting people. Afrika Bambatta is

his favorite singer and "Zulu Wild Style" is his favorite song. The future radiologist, who plans to attend William Paterson or Rutgers, can be seen with Tamil, Ski, Pop-Rock and Molla. *Renee Rogers* . . . "You Know It, Honey" . . . A gorgeous person with a beautiful personality is what this Capricorn is all about. She enjoys Michael Jackson, "Five Minutes of Funk", mature, educated young men, skating, dancing, colors pink and gray and being with her friends Cheryl, Angie, and Juanita. This future secretary is undecided on college to attend. *Alice Rosa* . . . "I Love You, West Side" is what you'll hear this lovely Scorpio say while she's profiling in her colors red and blue. This future nurse enjoys "When Doves Cry", dating, dancing and being funny. When not with her friends Felice, Shanta and Celeste, she's making plans to attend Bloomfield College



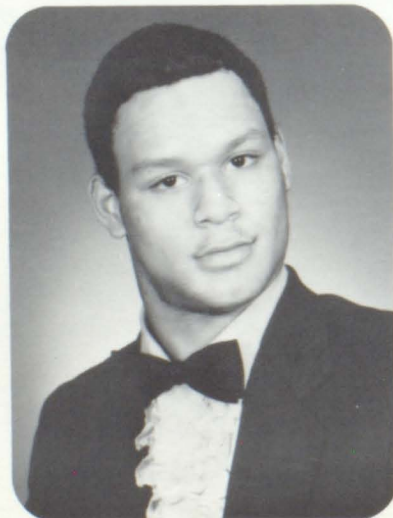
Angela Jones picks winning raffle ticket.



MAURICE ROBINSON
"Kiemo"



OSCAR ROBINSON
"Jerod"



NEVILLE RODRIQUEZ
"Rico"



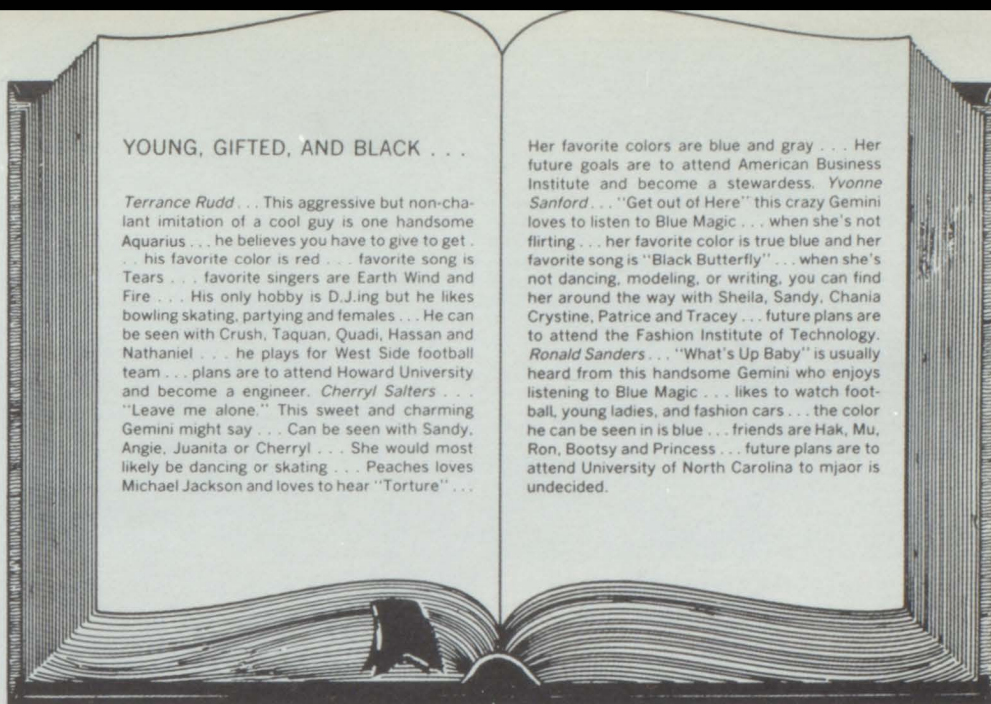
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"La-La"



ALICE ROSA
"Alicen"



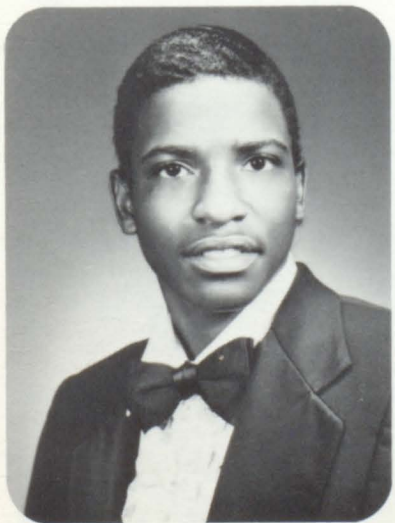
TERRANCE RUDD
"Walik"



CHERRYL SALTERS
"Peaches"



Sheila, Deanna, and Sherri listen patiently to their teacher



RONALD SANDERS
"Samaad"



YVONNE SANFORD
"Vonn"



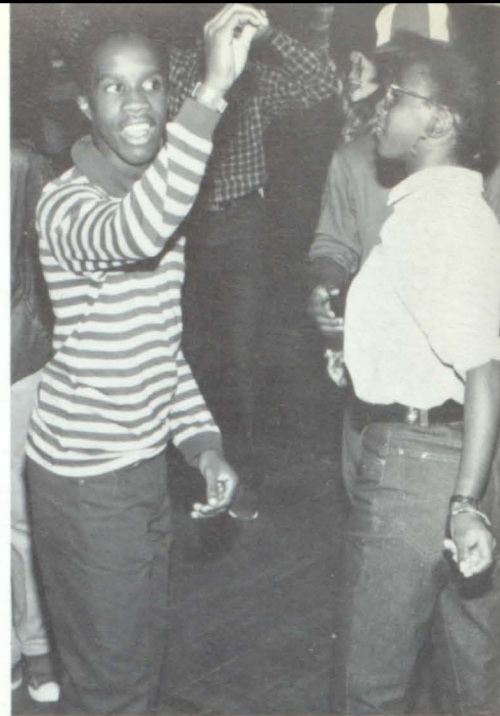
DESIREE SEBURN



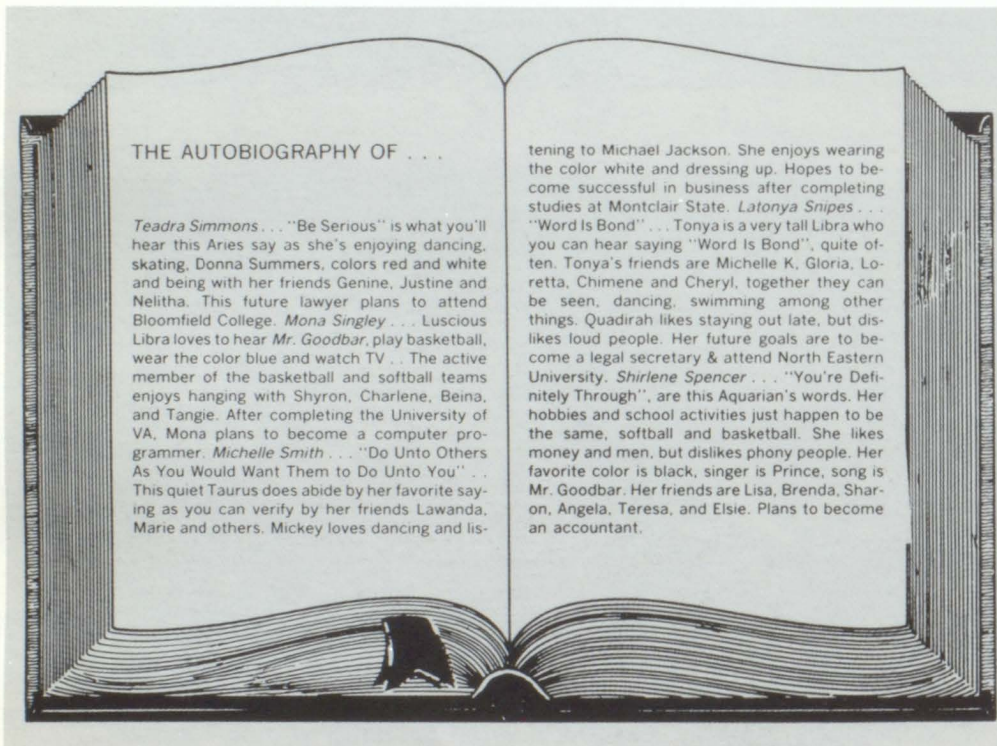
TEADRA SIMMONS
"Tea"



MONA SINGLEY



Robert has a good time at disco.



Missy and Jonathan await game.



MICHELLE SMITH
"Mickey"



LATONYA SNIPES
"Quadirah"



SHIRLENE SPENCER
"Grown"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Martha Ann Streeter . . . "What Up?" This loveable Leo loves Prince and his song "Doves Cry." One of her hobbies is tennis, which is what she plays for W.S.H.S. She can be found in the company of Linda Jamison and Janice Tucker. She wants to be a success in computers and she would like to attend Bloomfield College. *Clarence Strickland* . . . "It's Not Over Until It's Over." Scott, Andre, David, Darrell, and Eric are the friends of this Leo who listens to Run DMC and "JailHouse Rap". Football, basketball and baseball are his choice of sports and he likes the color blue. A future armed force man, Rock likes friendly people but dislikes the 1984 W.S.H.S. football season. *Juanita Stuckey* . . . "You're Buggin' Out" . . . This very smart Gemini is #1 in

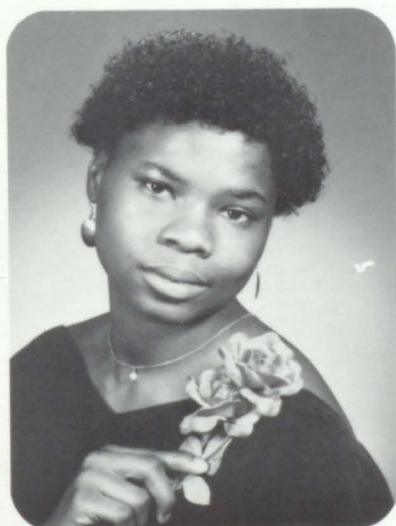
her class. She loves Michael Jackson, and her favorite songs are "Billy Jean", and "Tears." She can be seen with Cheryl, Sandy, and Angie. Her favorite color is blue, and in her spare time she likes to skate, read, and go to the movies. She likes french fries, buying clothes, and being with her boyfriend. Her dislikes are conceited people and fishy food. Her future goals are to become a successful business executive and attend Rutgers University in New Brunswick. School activities include the yearbook staff and the Honor Society. *Cheryl Taylor* . . . "All Right!" . . . This raging Taurus loves to hear Blue Magic's latest cuts. If she's not listening to music she's dancing or skating. Her most exciting color is red, "And her favorite song is "Body." Dimples loves men especially Darren W. But dislikes loquacious people. She's very aggressive as a pep squad member, and wishes to pursue a career in nursing at Montclair State College.



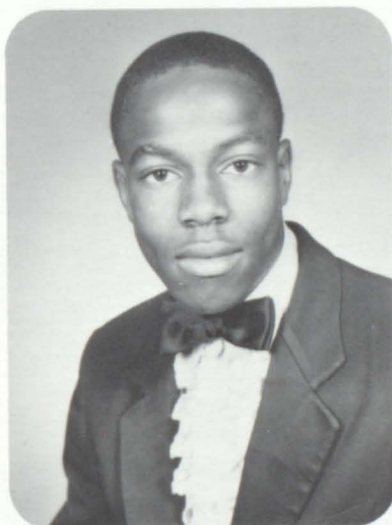
CHRISTOPHER C. SPRUILL
"Kevin Gee"



Byron Mayo- "just chillin'"



MARTHA STREETER
"Ann"



CLARENCE STRICKLAND
"Rock Ali"



JUANITA STUCKEY



CHERYL TAYLOR
"Dimples"



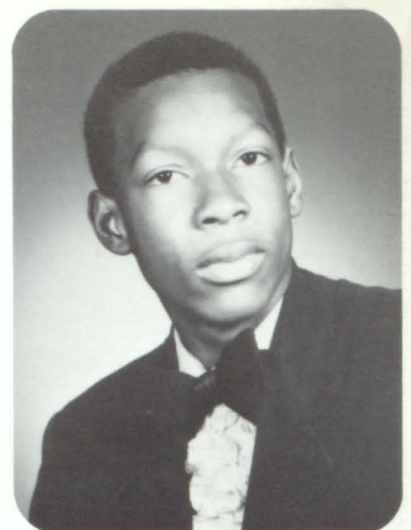
Catherine James loves being a senior.



LISA TAYLOR
"Kitten"



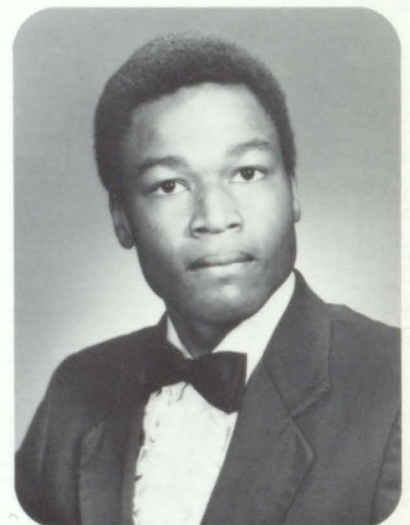
LORETTA THOMAS
"Retta"



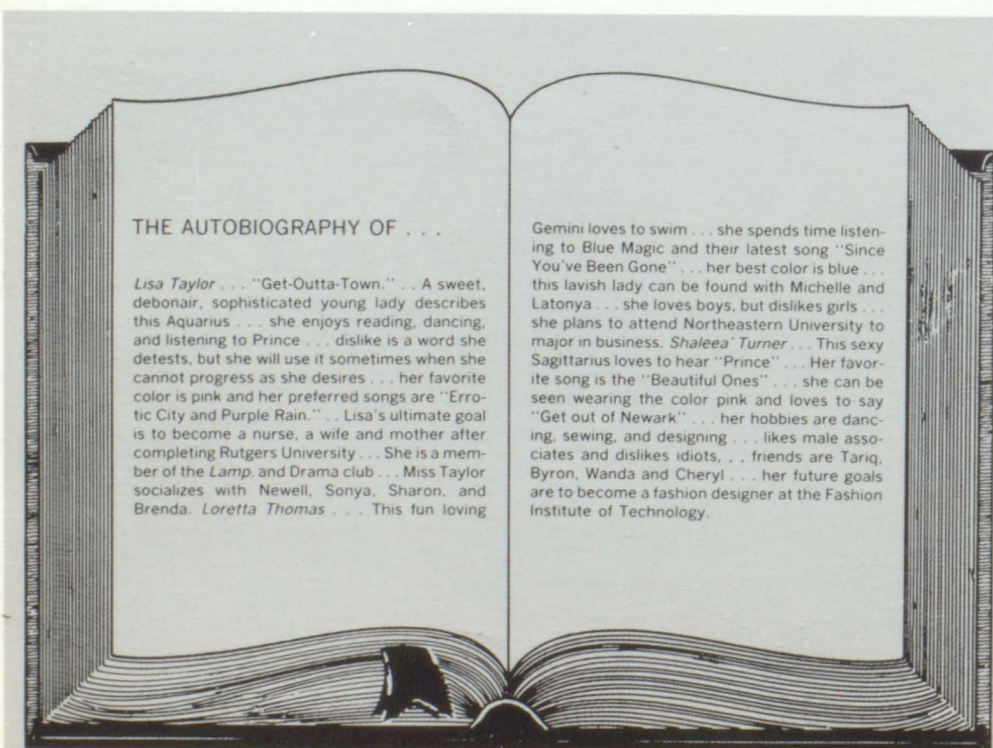
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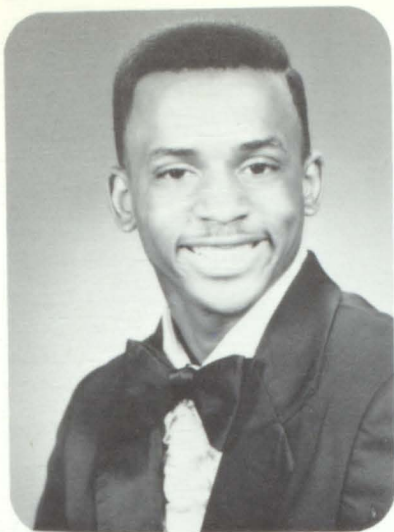
Keith, James, and Jackie gives underclassmen advice.



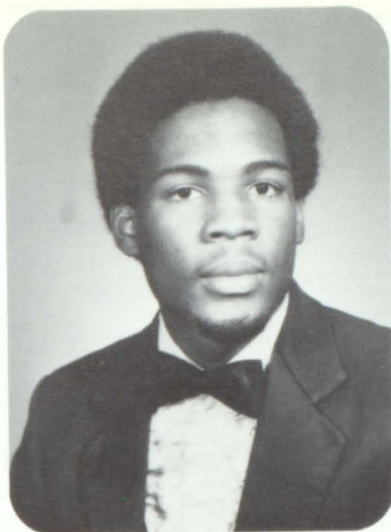
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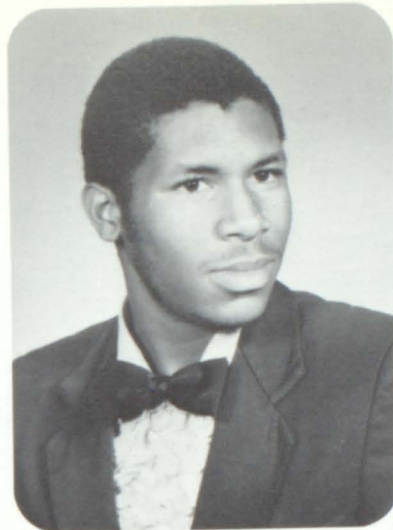
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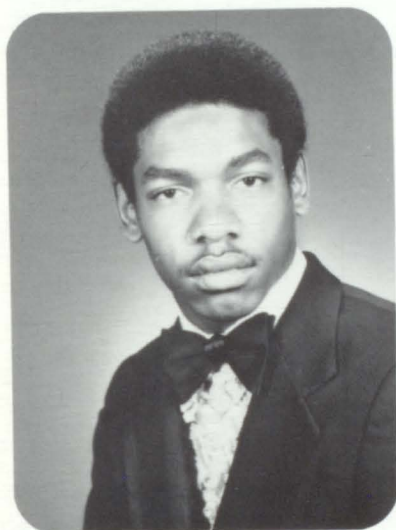
DERRICK VARNADO
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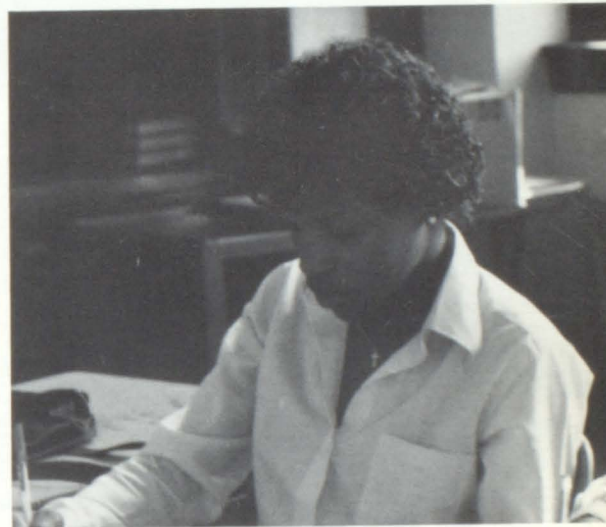
ORLANDO WADE



GUYRON WALKER
"Tariq"



JUSTINE WALKER
"Bonnie"



Renee Graham concentrates deeply.

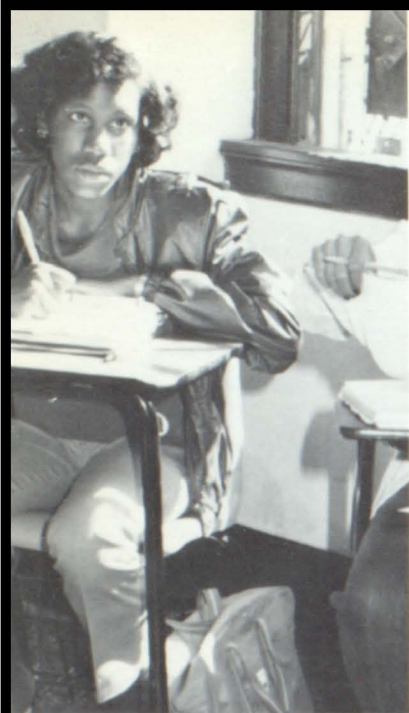
YOUNG GIFTED AND BLACK . . .

Derrick Varnado . . . "Chill Out" . . . This lucky Libra likes females, drawing, and boxing and dislikes punks. His favorite artist is Teddy Pendergrass and his favorite song is "So good to me." Derrick plans to attend N.C. State College to become a Gold Medalist in boxing, and a business man. *Tommy Victor* . . . Sign Aries, his favorite saying is "What's happening" . . . his favorite singer is Diana Ross, and he loves listening to Last Dance by Donna Summer . . . Tariq's favorite color is blue and his hobbies are playing baseball, rollerskating, and going to parties . . . he

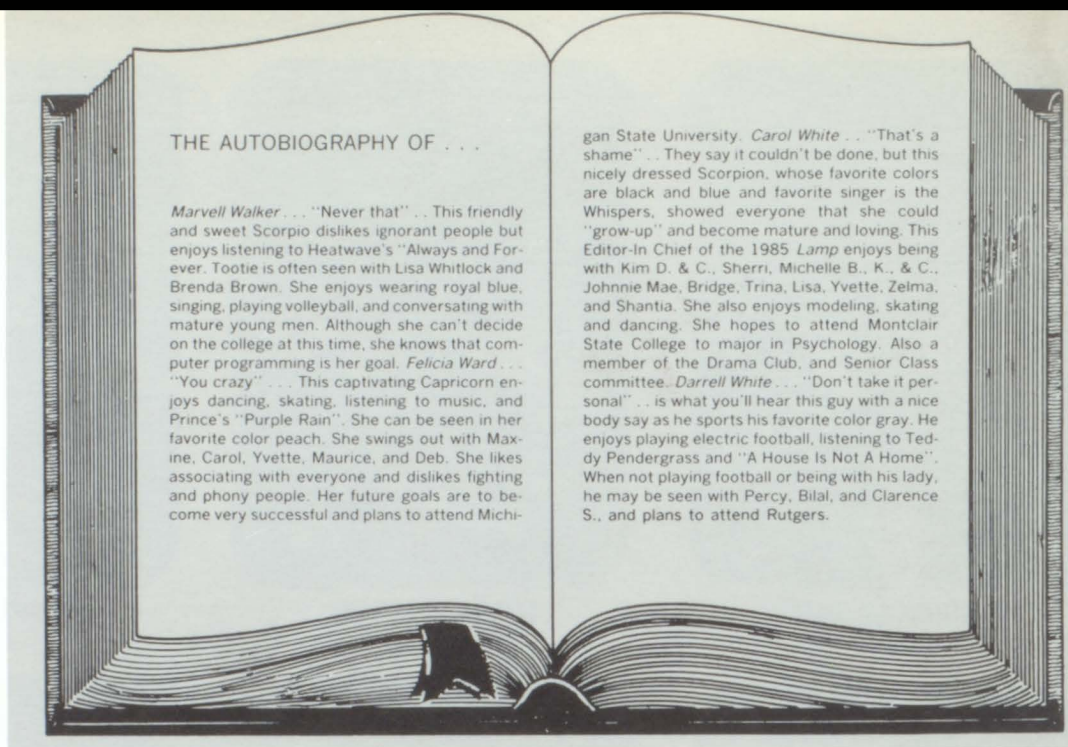
is a member of the band and aspires to be a Computer Programmer. *Orlando Vincent Wade* . . . "Dat's All" . . . Fat Boys and Human Bat Box are the sounds this Cancer enjoys . . . he also enjoys being with Tariq, Taquan Shadiq, and his girl . . . Mr. Wade plans to pursue his education at Seton Hall Univ., with a major in Engineering . . . he is a member of the football team and enjoys wearing the color blue. *Guyron Walker* . . . Cancer . . . among Guyron favorites are Diana Ross, her hit "Endless Love" and the color brown . . . his hobbies are playing football, cutting up the records and kung fu . . . his friends are K.K. and Ali-Mu, he dislikes drugs and jail . . . Mr. Walker wants to attend Kean College to become a singer.



Four fine foxes MiMi, Missy, Kim, and Sherri



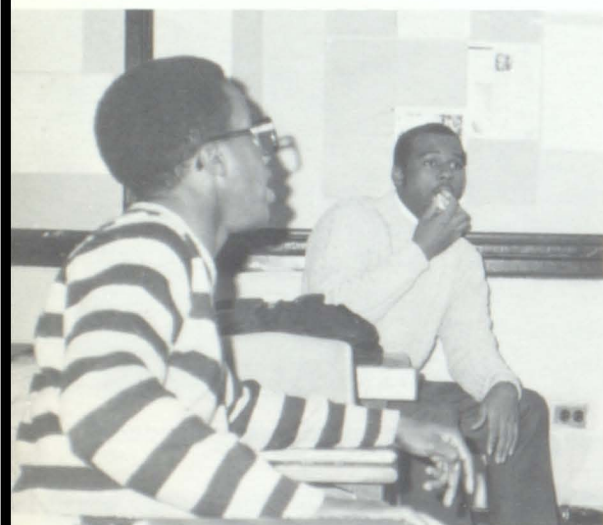
Theresa listens and takes notes.



THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF . . .

Marvell Walker . . . "Never that" . . . This friendly and sweet Scorpio dislikes ignorant people but enjoys listening to Heatwave's "Always and Forever. Tootie is often seen with Lisa Whitlock and Brenda Brown. She enjoys wearing royal blue, singing, playing volleyball, and conversating with mature young men. Although she can't decide on the college at this time, she knows that computer programming is her goal. *Felcia Ward . . .* "You crazy" . . . This captivating Capricorn enjoys dancing, skating, listening to music, and Prince's "Purple Rain". She can be seen in her favorite color peach. She swings out with Maxine, Carol, Yvette, Maurice, and Deb. She likes associating with everyone and dislikes fighting and phony people. Her future goals are to become very successful and plans to attend Michi-

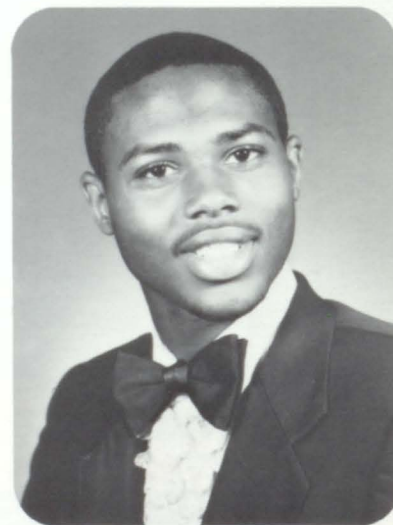
gan State University. *Carol White . . .* "That's a shame" . . . They say it couldn't be done, but this nicely dressed Scorpio, whose favorite colors are black and blue and favorite singer is the Whispers, showed everyone that she could "grow-up" and become mature and loving. This Editor-In Chief of the 1985 *Lamp* enjoys being with Kim D. & C., Sherri, Michelle B., K., & C., Johnnie Mae, Bridge, Trina, Lisa, Yvette, Zelma, and Shantia. She also enjoys modeling, skating and dancing. She hopes to attend Montclair State College to major in Psychology. Also a member of the Drama Club, and Senior Class committee. *Darrell White . . .* "Don't take it personal" . . . is what you'll hear this guy with a nice body say as he sports his favorite color gray. He enjoys playing electric football, listening to Teddy Pendergrass and "A House Is Not A Home". When not playing football or being with his lady, he may be seen with Percy, Bilal, and Clarence S., and plans to attend Rutgers.



David knows that he shouldn't eat in class.



MARVELL WALKER
"Tootsie"



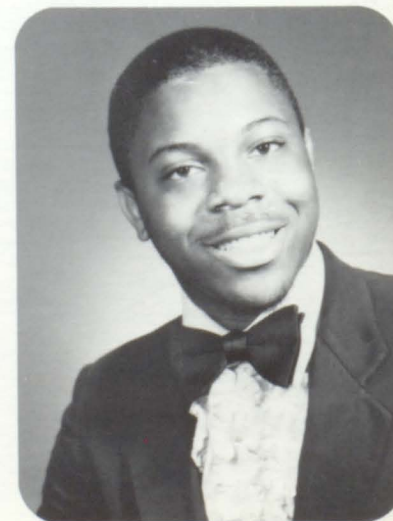
KEITH WALLACE
"Ke"



FELCIA WARD
"Lisa"



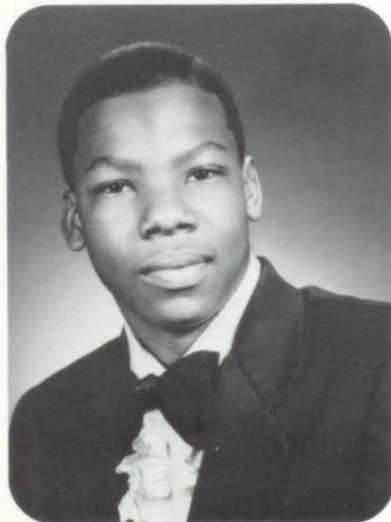
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"Cal"



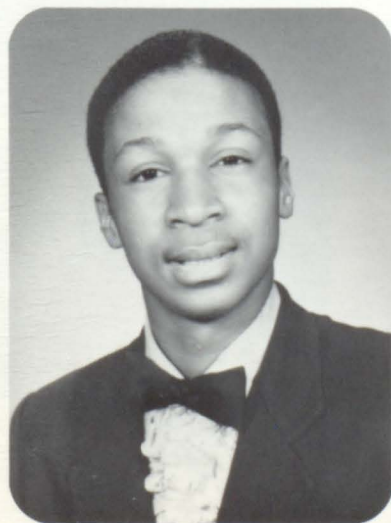
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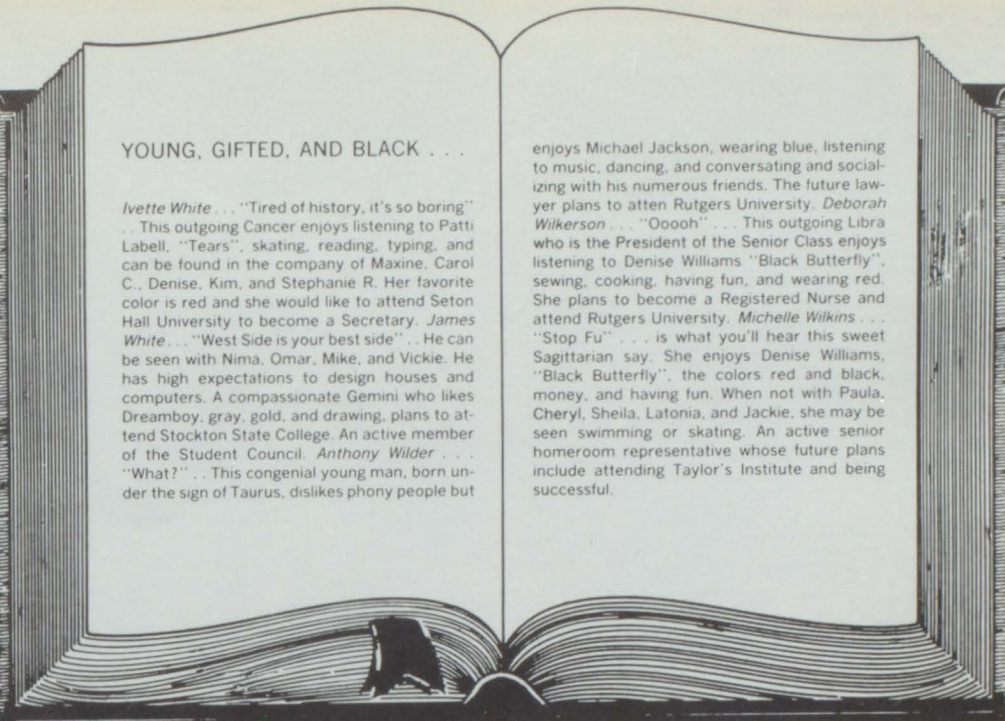
IVETTE WHITE
"Bay-Bay"



JAMES WHITE
"Shadiq"



ANTHONY WILDER
"Lamont"



YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Ivette White . . . "Tired of history, it's so boring" . . . This outgoing Cancer enjoys listening to Patti LaBelle, "Tears", skating, reading, typing, and can be found in the company of Maxine, Carol C., Denise, Kim, and Stephanie R. Her favorite color is red and she would like to attend Seton Hall University to become a Secretary. James White . . . "West Side is your best side" . . . He can be seen with Nima, Omar, Mike, and Vickie. He has high expectations to design houses and computers. A compassionate Gemini who likes Dreamboy, gray, gold, and drawing, plans to attend Stockton State College. An active member of the Student Council. Anthony Wilder . . . "What?" . . . This congenial young man, born under the sign of Taurus, dislikes phony people but

enjoys Michael Jackson, wearing blue, listening to music, dancing, and conversating and socializing with his numerous friends. The future lawyer plans to attend Rutgers University. Deborah Wilkerson . . . "Ooooh" . . . This outgoing Libra who is the President of the Senior Class enjoys listening to Denise Williams "Black Butterfly", sewing, cooking, having fun, and wearing red. She plans to become a Registered Nurse and attend Rutgers University. Michelle Wilkins . . . "Stop Fu" . . . is what you'll hear this sweet Sagittarian say. She enjoys Denise Williams, "Black Butterfly", the colors red and black, money, and having fun. When not with Paula, Cheryl, Sheila, Latonia, and Jackie, she may be seen swimming or skating. An active senior homeroom representative whose future plans include attending Taylor's Institute and being successful.



Paula, Carol, David, and Shawne get instructions in Culinary Art from David and Gregory.



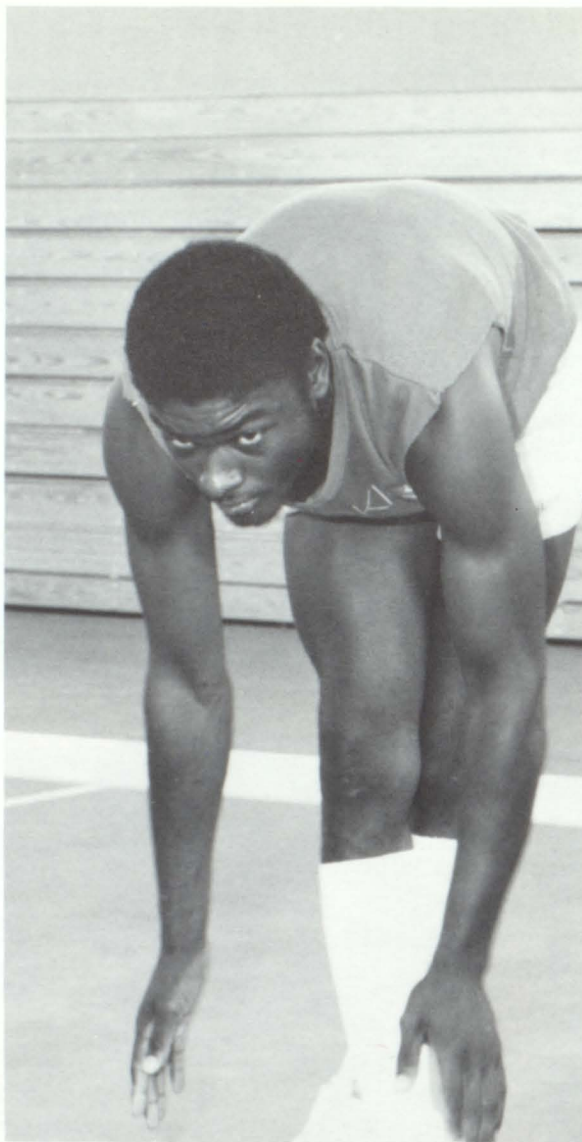
DEBORAH WILKERSON
"Ann"



MICHELLE WILKINS
"Shelley"



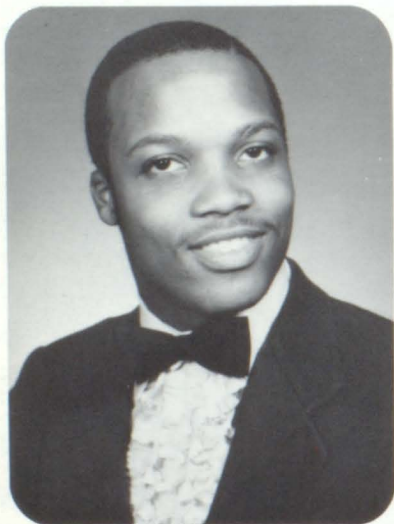
CHIMENE WILLIAMS
"Shimmy"



Lucio Norris warms up in gym class.



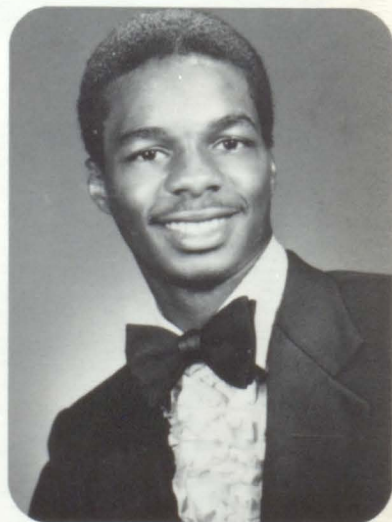
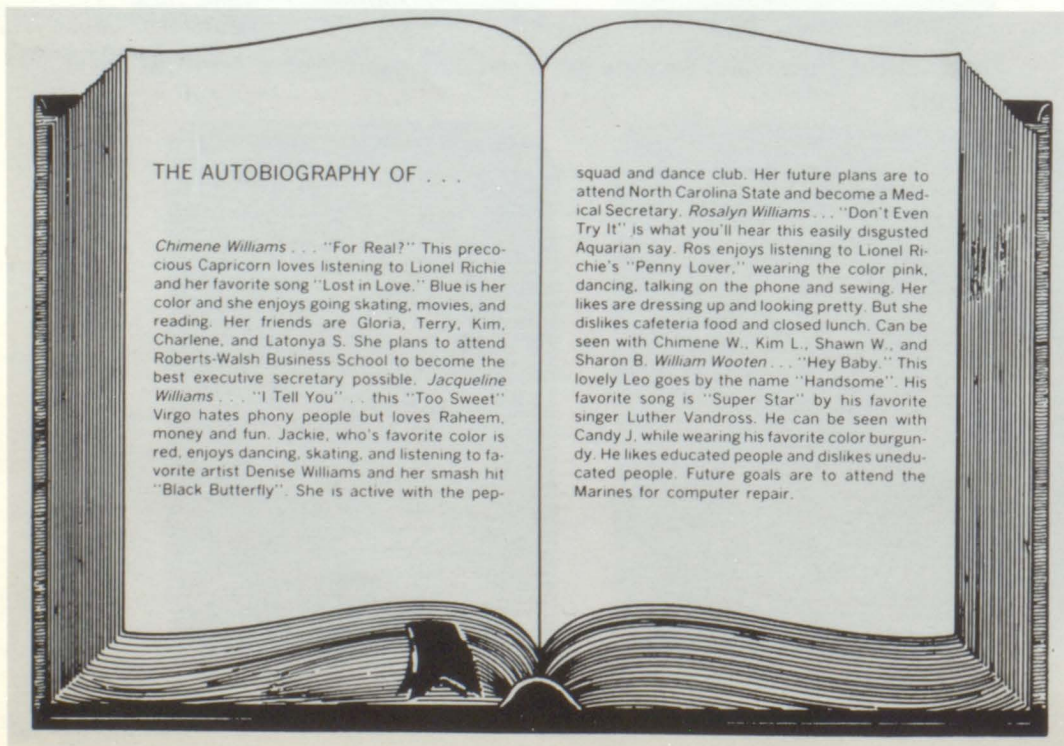
JACQUELINE WILLIAMS
"Too Sweet"



DARREN WILLIAMS



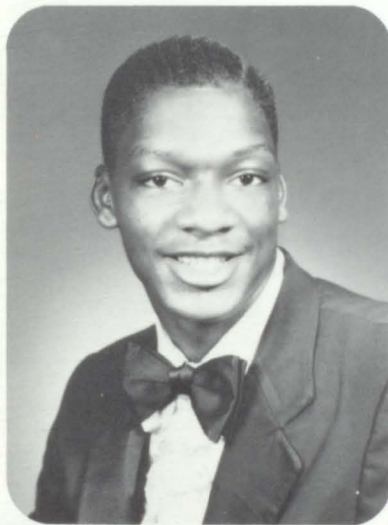
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"Ros"



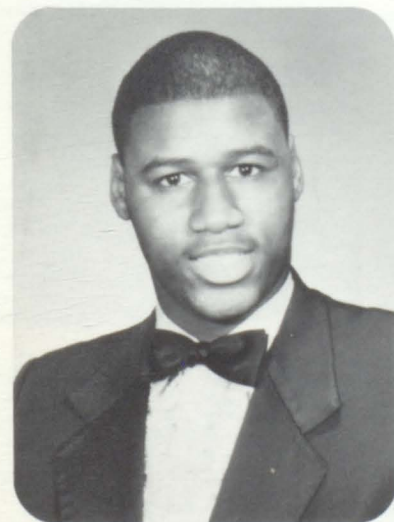
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"Handsome"



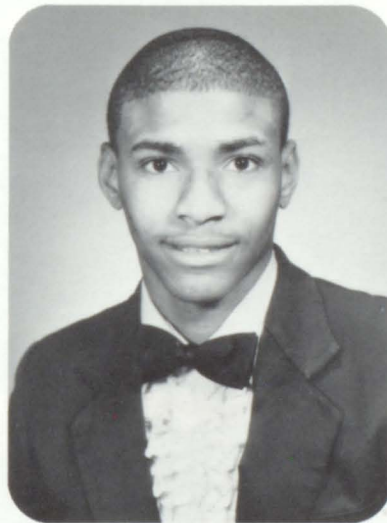
NELITHA WILSON
"Khalia"



NELSON WILSON



PERCY WRIGHT
"Peace Maker"



RODNEY WRIGHT
"Rod"



SHARONDA YARBOUGH
"Mousey"



SHEILA YELVERTON
"Shy-Love"

YOUNG, GIFTED, AND BLACK . . .

Nelitha Wilson . . . This sweet soft spoken Aquarian is fond of honest, down to earth people like her friends Bonnie, Teadra, Pam, and Peaches. "I know" says Khalia as she enjoys kickball, karate, and listen to her favorite artist the late great Marvin Gaye. This active member of the softball team and the WSH's Band wants to attend William Patterson College and become a professional business woman. *Percy Wright* . . . This strong, robust Sagittarian enjoys sports, (especially football), Teddy Pendergrass, sporting in green and white, and drawing. Females, Coach Whipps, and his family are his friends.

This member of the football team is a friend of Rodney, Kimble, Shawn, and Randy. Future plans are undecided. *Sharonda Yarbough* . . . "Dig Female" . . . This vigorous Virgo enjoys reading, school, and the color blue. She dislikes anything other than that. Sharonda also likes listening to Diana Ross. She plans to become a nurse attending Rutgers University. *Sheila Yelverton* . . . "Don't even try it" . . . This shy Libra enjoys skating, modeling, money, cars, and having fun with Michael. But, dislikes phony people. Her favorite song is "Black Butterfly" by Denise Williams and she can be seen with Jackie, Ma-Ma, Bootsie, Michelle, and of course Yvonne. Her future goals is to become an Accountant. She plans to attend Seton Hall University.



Chimene and Keisha get typing directions from Mrs. Cato

Buck Teeth, No Teeth, Pigtails, Afros, Double

Let's start remembering those first days of our long educational journey. Do you remember when you cried because your mother left you in a strange class on the first day of kindergarden? Well, kindergarden came and left and we then moved toward higher ground. The first, second, third, and fourth grades came, and along with the years came bell bottoms, stripes and plaids. During those years, Santa, the Easter Bunny and the Tooth Fairy were the most important things in our lives.

As we journeyed on, we encountered a more sophisticated life (we thought). We began to grow-up, and we thought about boy friends and girl friends. We also had blood brothers and sisters. Every new person we met, we would get married and have two children. We would put this information in our diaries which we guarded with our lives—from our Moms, Dads, brothers and sisters. Weren't we pretty silly in those days?

We have all grown so much and changed so much, but we have one thing in common - - We are ready to GO FOR THE GOLD!



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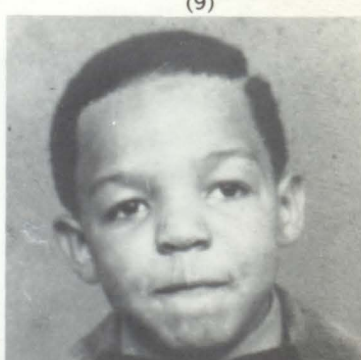
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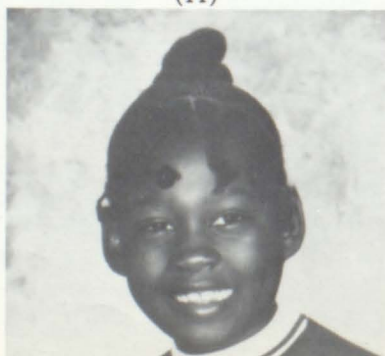
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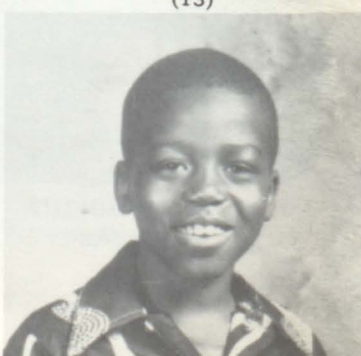
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Dutch, Hoola Hoops, Dick And Jane, Santa Claus



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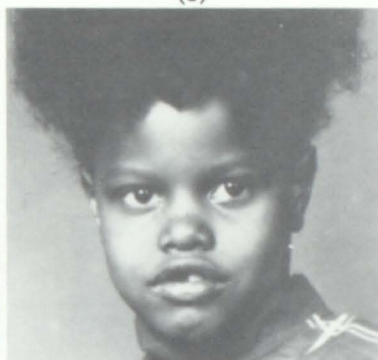
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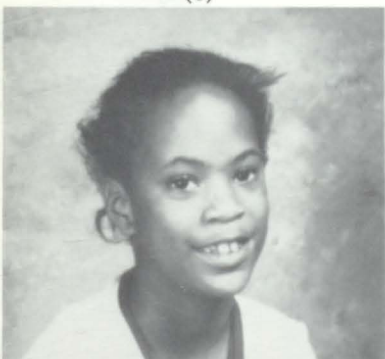
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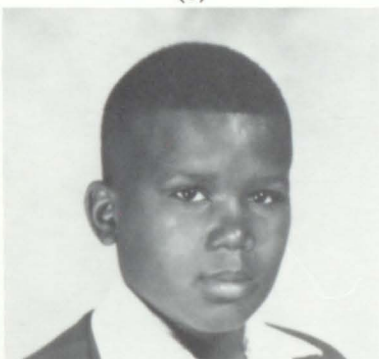
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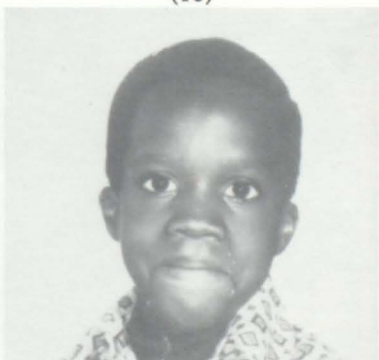
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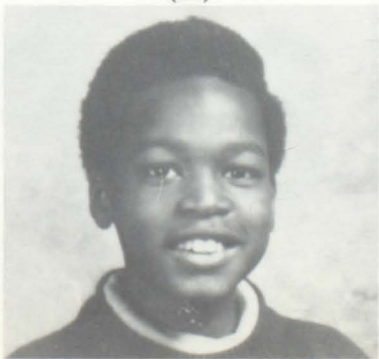
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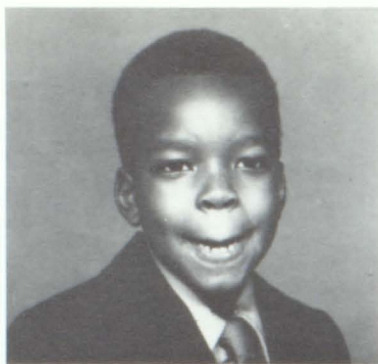
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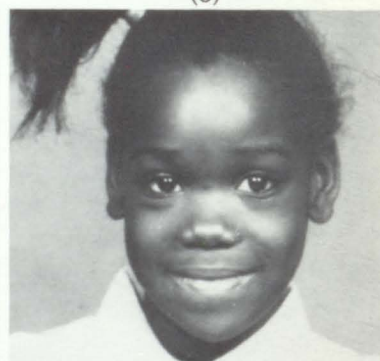
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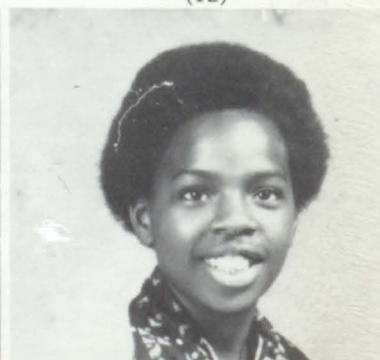
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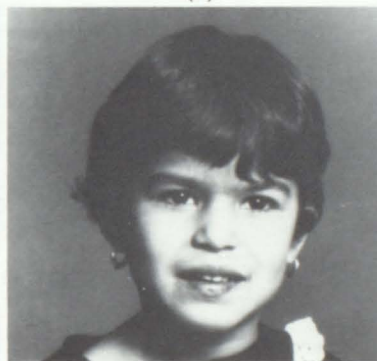
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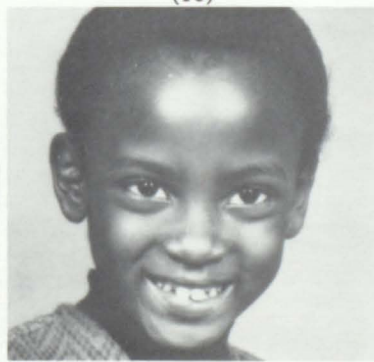
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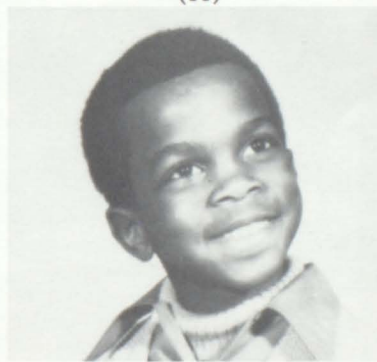
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If I Could Have But One Wish, It Would Be . . .

To achieve and accomplish my every dream.
 To become a very popular and successful person in the future.
 To make straight A's in school.
 To work for a large corporation.
 To become a famous model.
 To become a famous Architect.
 To win the Lotto and have my father living to share it.
 To have world peace among everyone.
 To have the girls at West Side to stop fighting over these sorry no-good guys.
 To get Reagan out of the chair.
 To have a date with Prince.
 To start my own firm.
 To become rich and famous.
 To graduate from high school with honors.

My Greatest Bargain . . .

Getting a pair of black leather pumps for \$8 that were originally \$48.
 When I played the picket for \$1 and won \$244.
 When my future husband bought me a gold necklace for a kiss.
 My education at West Side.
 When I bought a pair of shoes for \$20 that were originally \$40.
 When I got a pair of boots for \$27 that were originally \$70.
 When I left my \$3.35 an hour job for 3 hours a day for a \$5 an hour job for 7 hours a day.
 Making up my credits in summer school.
 Not having to pay for the ticket to my prom.
 Collecting money from other people to get a new uniform.
 Purchasing an \$80 piece of luggage for \$16.50.

My Biggest Suprise . . .

When I made the honor roll.
 The birthday party my family threw for me when I was fifteen.
 When I received \$250 on my birthday to go shopping with.
 When I hit the pick-it.
 When my counselor told me I failed the MBS test.
 When my oldest brother got married.
 When I was awarded Outstanding Citizen of the year at West Kinney Junior High school in the eighth grade.
 When I cut class and went home to find my mother still there.
 When I won the first prize at a show.
 Getting fired from Roy Rogers.
 When I was told that my father left me \$15,000.
 When I found out that I passed my Junior year.
 When I thought I was hired at a job but I wasn't.
 Being inside Washington Square and walked into Jessie & Angie of AMC
 When Michelle Smith chumped off Pernell.
 When I received an A in gym.

Things I Regret . . .

Working at Roy Rogers.
 Not listening to Coach Whipps when he had given me advice about working out my problems.
 Cutting class and being in the halls.
 Leaving Arts High School.
 Failing English and Gym in school.
 Taking Physics and Trig.
 In the past I failed to work up to my ability, and now I must suffer from my mistakes.
 Not taking College prep classes.



My Most Embarrassing Moment . . .

When my mother said something in front of my company and then laughed at what she said.
 When I tore my pants.
 When I thought someone was breaking into my house and I called the cops, but it was my mother.
 When I wet myself in the second grade.
 When I fell while going on stage to accept my award.
 When the teacher caught me cheating on a test.
 When I put my shoes on in the dark and walked outside with two different shoes on.
 When I fell up the stairs and nobody laughed except for me.
 When I hit my head on the rail of the bus when it was crowded.
 When my slip fell down in the middle of the street.
 When I was in the fashion show I zipped my coat all of the way down and I didn't have a shirt on.
 When I fell asleep while taking a test.
 When me and my friends went to Dunkin' Donuts and ordered \$3 worth of stuff but only had a dollar.
 When I was walking in front of some guys and my shoe twisted over.
 When I fell down the stairs.
 When I was trying to catch the bus, I fell in front of it.

Remember When . . .

The photographer came to take the Junior Class pictures, and was hit with an egg? I thought I was on the honor roll but I wasn't?
 Two juniors (now seniors) locked Mrs. Cray in the ladies room?
 Mr. Silas dropped all of the raffles on stage at the 1984 pageant?
 West Side was a clean school.
 Teachers were respected?
 Young people acted as young people?
 Guys respected ladies?
 No one got high?
 An "A" was really an "A"?

What will you be doing in 10 years?

The president of a large business—Otis Halsey
 An executive nurse at an hospital—Loretta Thomas
 A Successful Business Woman—Keisha Hargrove
 A young lady in a big business.—Stevonne Henry
 A nurse raising a family—Zelma Pace
 Happily married with an excellent job—Michelle Wilkins
 Owner of my own company—Catherine James
 A computer scientist—Michelle Smith
 A successful lawyer making mucho money—Anthony Wilder
 A successful electrician who is happily married—Anthony Nash
 A lawyer with a family—Richard Bateman
 A successful computer programmer—Tammie Davis
 A rich successful person—Charlene Flounory
 A married business executive—Juanita Stuckey
 A famous writer—Donna Brown
 A successful business woman—Sabrina Alston
 A journalist who's married—Robert Coston
 A computer operator—Martha Streeter
 A computer programmer—Cynthia Fuller
 A married working woman—Delores Hurst
 Succeeding at my job—Kent Hines
 A commercial artist—Sharon LaMarr
 A married lawyer—Marie Kennedy
 A successful woman—Brenda Hinton
 A social worker—Deanna Marie Morris
 A successful business woman—Renee Graham
 Serving time in Sing-Sing—Darren (Amin) Allen
 A successful businessman—Keith Gant
 I will have my own Dance Studio—Sandra Miller
 A successful Social worker—Theresa Jones



Memories, Oh Those Precious Memories



The official day that we became seniors—June 1, 1984



Kim Davis and James Norman—"We're just good friends"



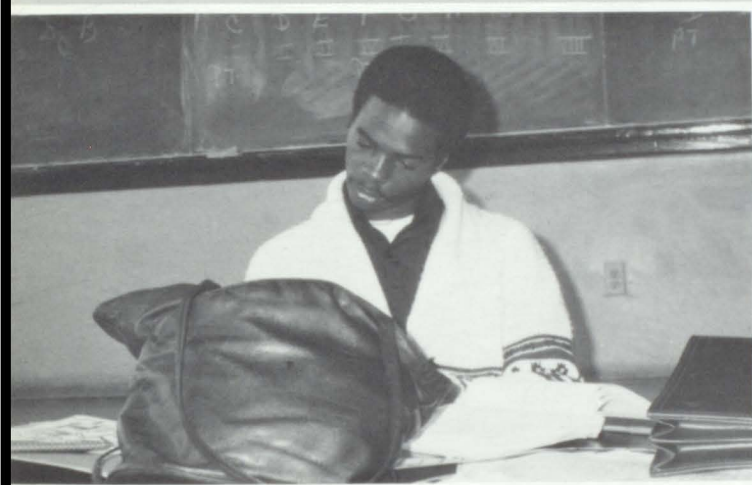
Shantia and Bootsie enjoying Homecoming game



Venus Jones gets made-up for fashion show



Brenda Hinton receives hug from friend, Melissa Cunningham



William Wooten gets music ready for Christmas Concert



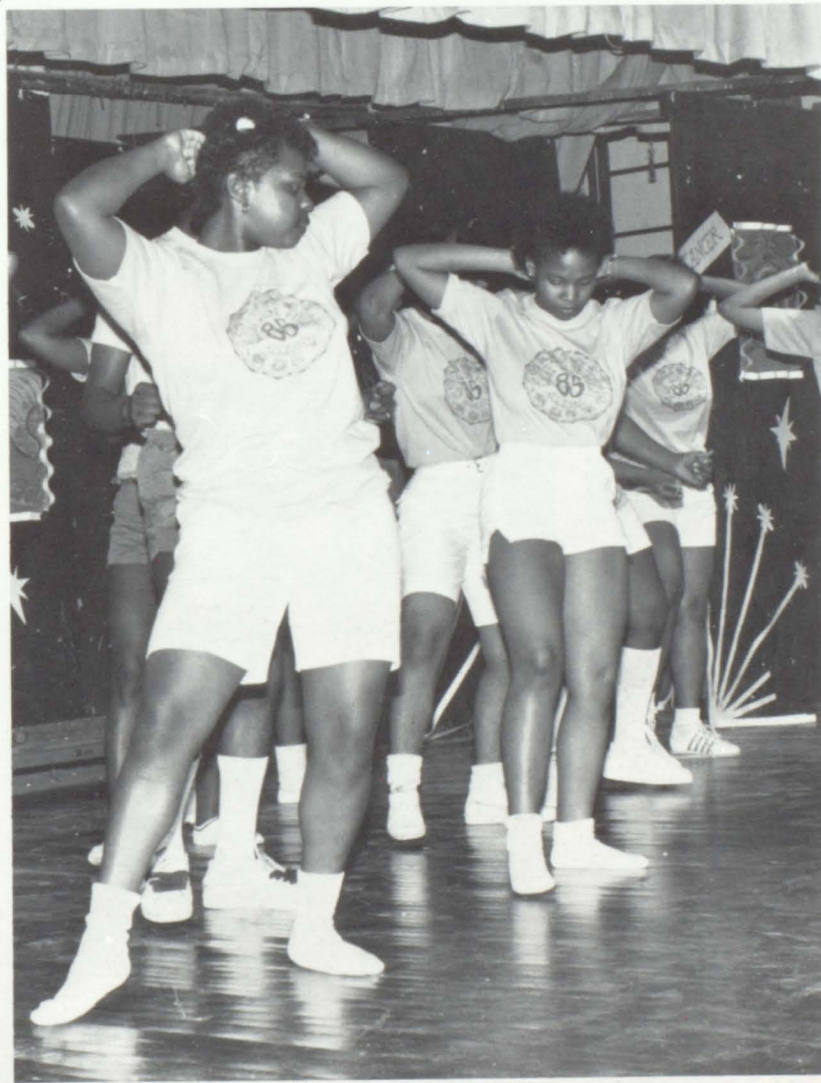
Cleveland, Gerardo, Sal, Michelle, and James loves taking gym, Per. 5



The Class Of "85" Is Definitely Alive



Activities





Miss Robin Bogan



Robin at Pageant

Miss West Side—1984 1985

Miss West Side was born on February 27, 1967, under the most precious sign Pisces. She is the daughter of Mr. Robert Bogan, and Mrs. Julia Bogan, the sister of Jacqueline and Feller Bogan.

Robin is an active student and has sung at Newark Symphony Hall, City Hall and various places throughout New Jersey as well as other states.

She is the secretary of the Senior Class, a member of the Drama, Operation Close-Up and Sophisticated Ladies Clubs.

Robin's motto is that success, fame and fortune are all illusions—all that is real is the friendship and love that two persons can share.

Robin plans to further her education in communications and vocal music. She is influenced greatly by one of the most noted recording stars from Newark, Ms. Melba Moore.

Miss Bogan thanks everyone for the encouragement they have given her throughout her education and singing career.



MISS ROUGHRIDER
Miss Shawne Edghill



MISS LAMP
Miss Sharon Hayden



MISS HOMECOMING
Miss Deborah Wilkerson

Miss Senior 1984-85 (Tie)

Miss Sherri Gregory, daughter of Mrs. Florence Gregory, was jointly crowned "Miss Senior" at the annual Thanksgiving pageant.

This seventeen-year old young lady is a member of the Drama and Sophisticated Ladies Clubs, and is also a former member of the track and pep squad.

This unpredictable, out-going sophisticated lady was born on December 19, 1967, under the sign of Sagittarius. Miss Gregory plans to further her education at Douglass College in New Brunswick to pursue a degree in Elementary Education.

Sherri would like to give special thanks to her mother, and friends especially Carol, and Kim for the inspiration they have given her during her high school years.



Miss Sherri Gregory

"I would like to extend special thanks to my parents, Vertonley, Vonda, Lisa, and Michael" states Miss Senior of 1984-1985, who is sharing this year's title with Miss Sherri Gregory.

Miss Sheila Yelverton, a very kind, warm hearted and considerate person, was born on September 25, 1967 under the lovely sign of Libra to James and Bonnie Yelverton.

She enjoys modeling, dancing, cooking, and socializing with the special person in her life.

After graduating from WSH, Sheila plans to attend Seton Hall University in South Orange, New Jersey to pursue a major in accounting.

Miss Yelverton was also crowned Miss Freshman 1981-82, Miss Sophomore 1982-83, and Miss Junior 1983-84.



Miss Sheila Yelverton

Setting The

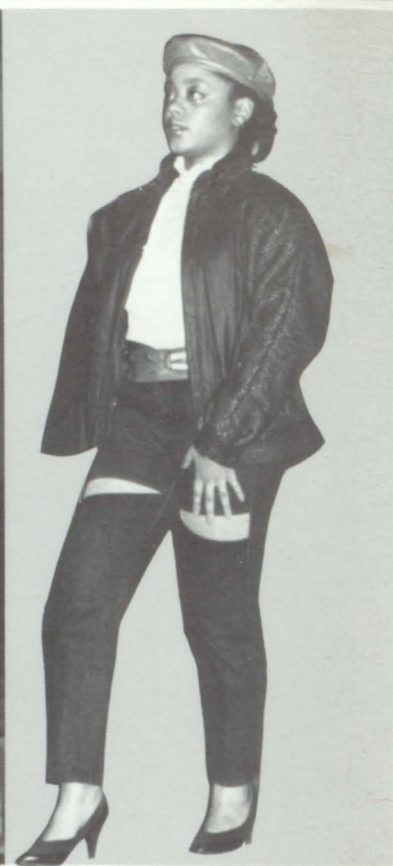
It was November 16, 1984 when seven anxious contestants stepped to the microphone before a packed audience and gave their introductions, exhibited their professional talents of singing, dancing, and acting; answered questions intelligently, and strolled the runway with poise and grace.

At the end of a too-long evening for the ladies, the judges complexed decisions were finally reached. The results were: fourth runners-up—Miss Lisa Taylor, Miss Yvonne Sanford and Miss Theresa Jones, third runner-up—Miss Deanna Morris, second runner-up—Miss Sheila Harris, first runner-up—Miss Brenda Hinton and Miss West Side 1984-85, Miss Robin Bogan.

Teachers in charge were Mrs. Gail Brown, Mr. Herbert Stoney, Miss Diedre Wilson, Mrs. Bettye Tyson and Mrs. Mary Cato.



Miss LaKeisha Broadnax
Special Artist



Miss Deanna Morris
Talent- modeling

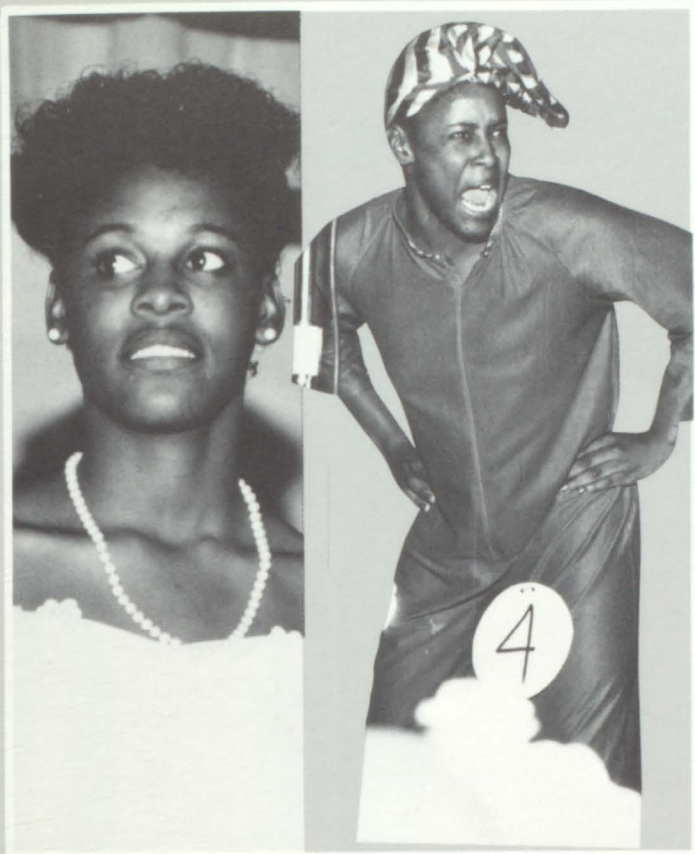


Miss Theresa Jones
Dancing: Chaka Khan's "I Feel For You"



Miss Lisa Taylor
Singing: "Good Morning Heart Ache"

Tone For Excellence



Miss Brenda Hinton
Monologue from Langston Hughes, "Ballard of the Landlord"



Miss Yvonne Sanford
Singing: "Memories"



Miss Sheila Harris
Dancing: Cheryl Lyn's "Star Love"



Miss Robin Bogan
Singing: "What's On The Other Side Of The Rainbow?"



Miss Sharonda Baker



Miss Stephanie Barnes



Miss Felicia Crawford



MISS FOOTBALL Miss Paula Leak



Miss Kenyetta Garland



Miss Rose Hamilton



Miss Sheila Harris



Miss Stevonne Henry

Receive Standing Ovation



Miss Brenda Hinton



Miss Catherine James



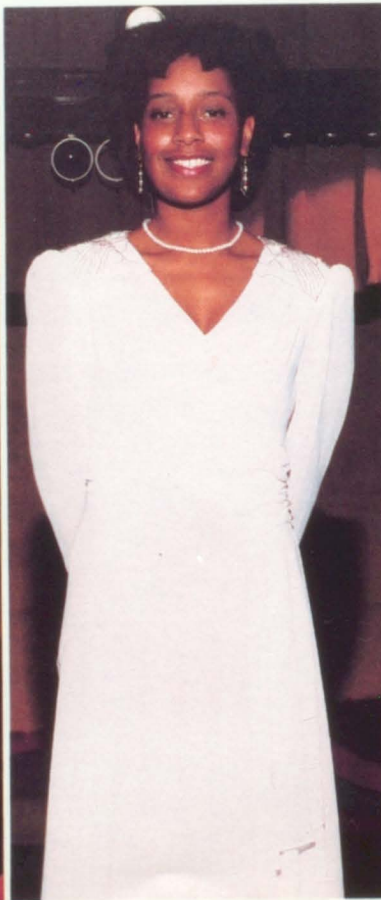
Miss Maureen Lewis



Miss Deanna Morris



Miss Danielle Richardson



Miss Yvonne Sanford



Miss Alnisa Shaw



Miss Lisa Taylor

Underclassmen And Escorts



Mrs. Samuels,
Commentator



Miss Ann Bowser



Miss Desiree Bracewell



Miss Bonita Chandler



Miss Carolyn Dorsey



Miss Tanayo Dudley



Miss Giselle Fitzgerald



Miss Beverly Gadson



104 Miss Sharon Garrison



Miss Lakisha Green



Miss Sabrina Howard



Miss Patrica Jackson

Display Poise And Charm



Miss Patricia Jones



Miss Sandra Mack



Miss Clara Montgomery



Miss Cynthia Tann



Miss Demetra Warren



Miss Michelle White



Miss Tonya Whitehead



Mimi gave the trophies



Club Queens And Handsome



MR. WESTSIDE
Mr. James Norman



MISS JUNIOR
Miss Abrena Moore



Mr. Norman Dorch



MISS CHEERLEADER
Miss DiJuan McFadden



MR. HOMECOMING
Mr. Terrance Rudd



MISS FRESHMAN
Miss Khadijah Salahud-din



MR. ESCORT
Mr. James White



Mr. William Wooten

Young Men Are Superb



MISS COLORGUARD
Miss Theleah Addison



MISS CHORUS
Miss Desheca Archer



MISS PEP SQUAD
Miss Delaine Bailey



MISS SOPHOMORE
Miss Ivory Bryant



Mr David Carter



Mr. Keith Gant



MISS TRACK
Miss Angela Hill



Miss Tawanna Hilliard

Skaters

Senior

The weather was in climate and raining profusely when we left school around 2:30. Our advisor Mrs. Tyson was wondering if she should call off our skating party and reschedule it for another night. We asked her not to do so for we felt that the weather would not cause the buses to cease operation.

Around 7:30 p.m. the rain had slackened and many of us proceeded to Twin City Roller Rink as scheduled. Boy, were we happy that Mrs. Tyson did not call off our party. We had a joyous time skating in pairs, individually, by the latest disco sounds, and by class.

Most of the members of the Class of '85 wore their T-shirts and were identified readily whenever it was necessary.

The party ended at 11:30 and we all journeyed to our homes reminiscing another memorable occasion to be added to our keepsake album.



MiMi & Shelly---it takes two to lace skates.



Zelma Pace---Skating all alone.



Deborah, Giovanna, and Iris are waiting for a break in the fast lane.

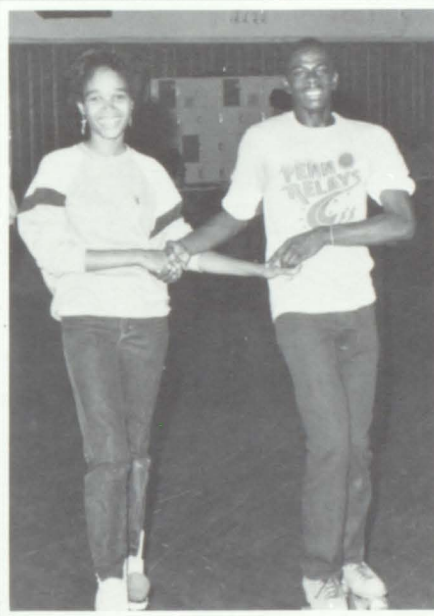
Are Sensational



Yvette Daniels—posing beside a locker



Keisha—skating with a pom pom



Giovanna & Dave—tied together on wheels



Mae & Gyron—nothing's better than skating together

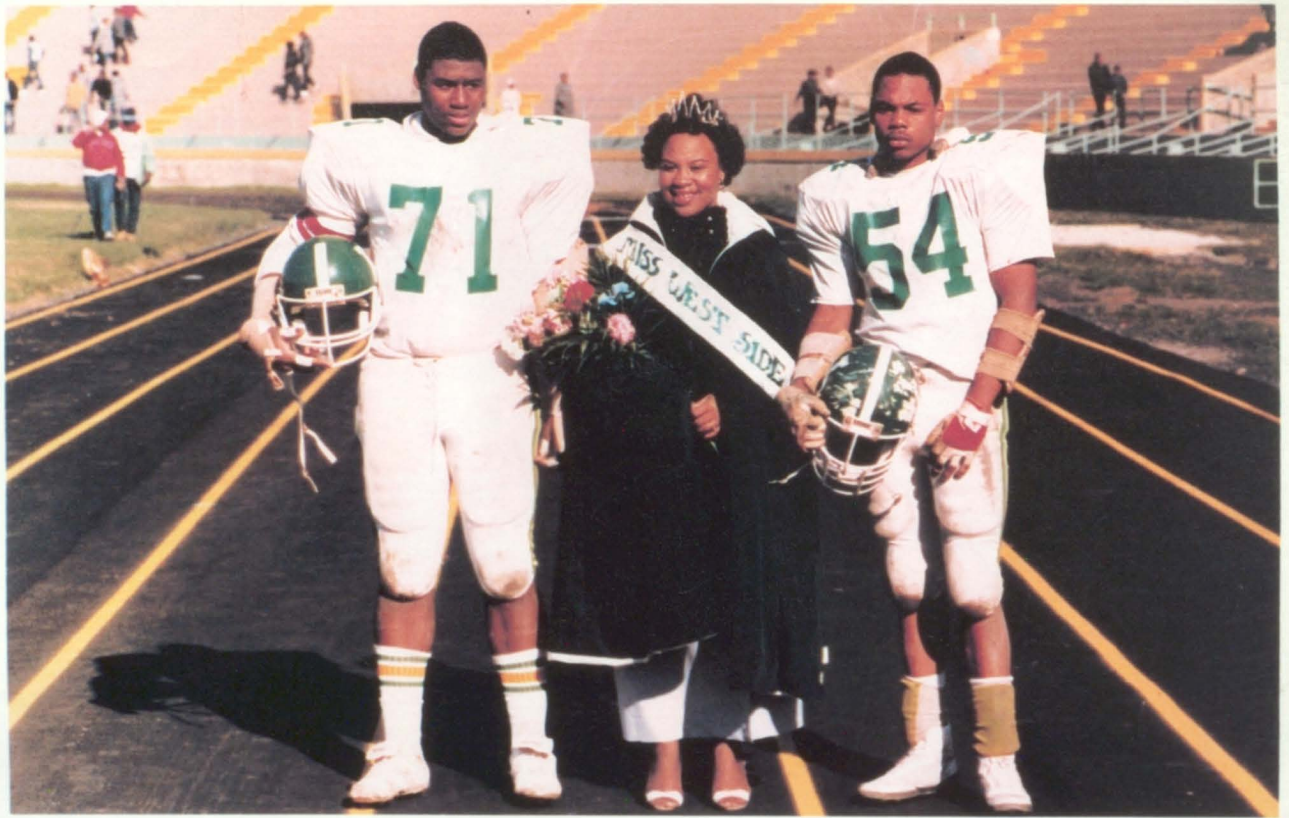


Shonda—followed by friends



Felicia Crawford, Sabrina Alston, and Sharon Hayden—taking a break before continuing another lap.

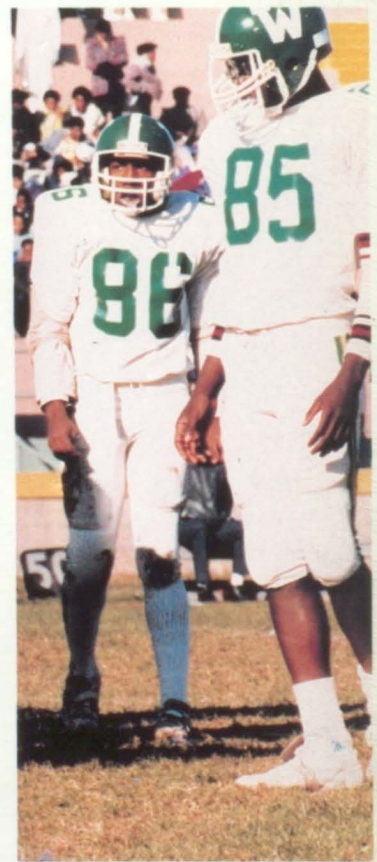
Homecoming



Miss West Side, Robin Bogan, Captains Percy Wright and Eric Humphrey



teachers and alumni



the football team



Mr. Potts, queens and kings



the band



the cheerleaders



Michelle and Kim



the pep squad

**Braved The Cold
To
Celebrate
Homecoming 1984**

Seniors Are Spiritous On "Dress- up Day"

For one day we relinquished our Lee jeans, Adidas sneakers, socks, shirt blouses, T-shirts, and loafers. Instead, we put on our finery of designer's dresses, high heels, stockings, suits, sport jackets, and even tuxedos.

The teachers were so happy that we were dressed-up because we acted as young ladies and young men in all of our classes. We definitely were kings and queens for a day.

To top it off, Lorstan's sent two photographers to help us epitomize another remarkable occasion for the Class of 1985.



Felicia Crawford, and Gregory Lewis



Tony, Michelle, and Vincent



Sheila Yelverton, Michelle Wilkins, Sabrina Alston, and Renee Daniels



Delores Hurst and Byron Mayo



Maritza Jiminez, Brenda Hinton, and Roberta Hill



Ready to step out.



Ivette, Maurice, and Kenyetta



Arthur, Rosalyn, and Carl



Six lovely seniors are dressed-up.



T. Brooks, P. Leak, R. Carr, Y. Daniels, and W. Mix



Stevonne, Bernard, and Kim



Band Director—Mr. Ellis

The West Side High School Marching "Rough Rider" Band under direction of Mr. Howard A. Ellis, once again proved to be one of the best bands in Essex County and the surrounding area. Mr. Ellis, who also coaches the Color Guard Squad was assisted by Drum Line Instructor Ricky Gaskins and Ms. Beverly McDuffie, the Twirler Advisor. The cheerleading and pep squads coached by Ms. Shamsaddean also marched with the band at some functions.

Their performances consisted of marching at the football games, the Project Bowl, the N.J. Cosmos soccer game at the Meadows, and Delaware State U. homecoming. Despite numerous conflicts, the West Side band was the only Newark band that performed on the first day of the football season.

The band performed parades in Kearny, Belleville, Delaware, and Newark and attended band competitions in Bloomfield, Belleville, and Princeton. It's not over yet!



The Drum Line and percussion section getting ready to go on field



Color Guard and band stepping to the beat



Mr. Malone and Mrs. Bennett watch the game while the color guard line up.



THE 1984-85 WEST SIDE HIGH MARCHING BAND



Jacob Yelverton with color guard.



Oscar Robinson waits for his signal to begin playing.



Sharonda Yarbrough enjoys playing her instrument.



Band makes debut in new attire.

Star Search For



Danielle Richardson
Commentator



Sandy, Bootsie, La-La and Cher danced to "Set It Off".



Maurice sings "Teach Me".



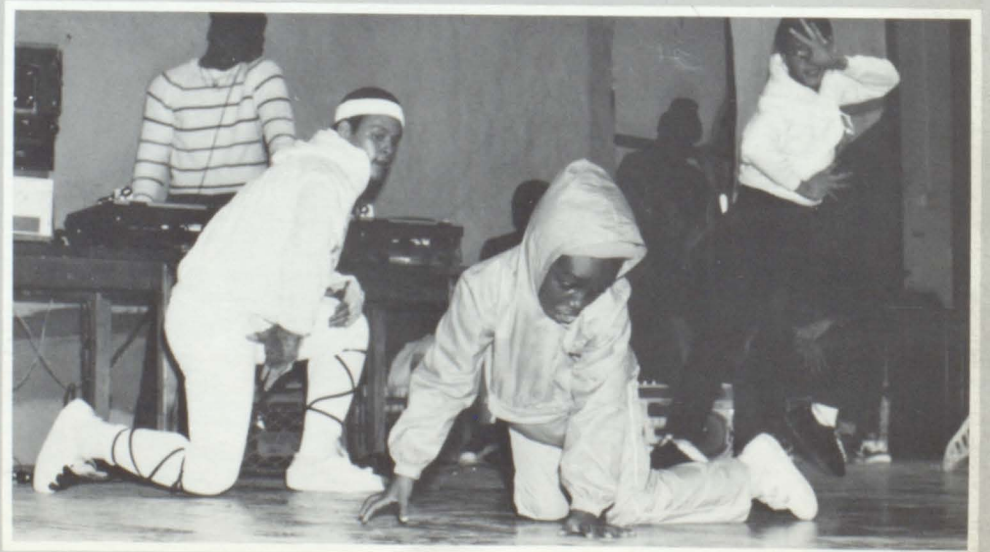
Robert Pretlow raps well.



Marilyn Muse sings a number .



Shaleea Turner sings "Sex Shooter".



Rico Rodriguez does a little breaking with his friends.

Talent—A Night To Remember



Annette, Jeanette and Michele danced to "Centipede".



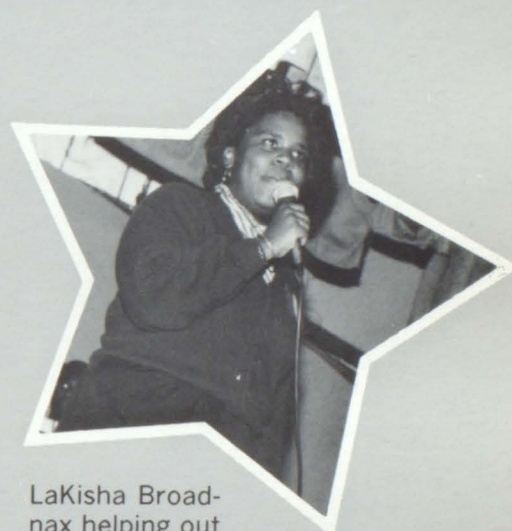
Tony Nash sings his heart out.



Jackie, Mimi, Val, Dawn and Sheila danced to "Torture".



Theresa Jones dances to the music.



LaKisha Broadnax helping out as usual.



Mimi, Missy, Chelly and Arty enjoying the show.



Sheila Harris gets ready for the show.

Reliving Those

Our parents remember the 50's, and have been telling us about it for years—about the music, the dances, the fashions, the cars, and the fun they had.

For one day, we wanted to relive that era. We wanted to put on bobby socks, saddle oxfords, short dresses, hats, long skirts, hoola-hoola dresses, thick sweaters, mid-legged pants, do the jitterbug, lindy hop, slow dance and learn about the oldies but goodies.

What a splendid time our parents must have had and hopefully someday, we will be able to recapture our past as they have done.



Remembering the 50's—Keith, David, Gregory, Gerardo, Lisa, Michelle B., Missy, and Theresa.



Shantia Allen found a sharp dress for the day.



Linda and Delphia— sport their hats



Brenda Hinton— in her bobby sox and long skirt



Theresa Jones— is dressed to kill



Shranda Baker—white lace dress along with purse

Fabulous "50's"



Sandy, Bootsie, Deborah, Shawne, and Robin display their costumes.



Refreshments anyone! says Shawne, Khalid, Deb, Kareem.



Deanna displays her winning costume.



Richard smiles for the camera man.



DJ Kasper's mixing and scratching at the senior's disco

Halloween is the day for tricking or treating. However, the Class of 1985 has added another definition—that being a masquerade disco whereby the seniors would be able to dress as his or her favorite person. Prizes were awarded to several seniors, one of whom was Miss Deanna Morris.

We danced by music recorded by the latest artist and spun tremendously by DJ Kasper.

Again, we can register another memorable occasion of the Class of 1985.



Miss Zodiac Mr. Zodiac
Sharon David Clark
Hayden



Miss Pisces
Marie Haynes



Cassandra Miller, Pisces



Angela Edwards, Capricorn



Robin Bogan, Pisces



Noreen Hightower, Capricorn



Angela Jones, Capricorn



Brenda Brown, Capricorn



Miss Capricorn
Arlene Sutton



Miss Aries
Teadra Simmons



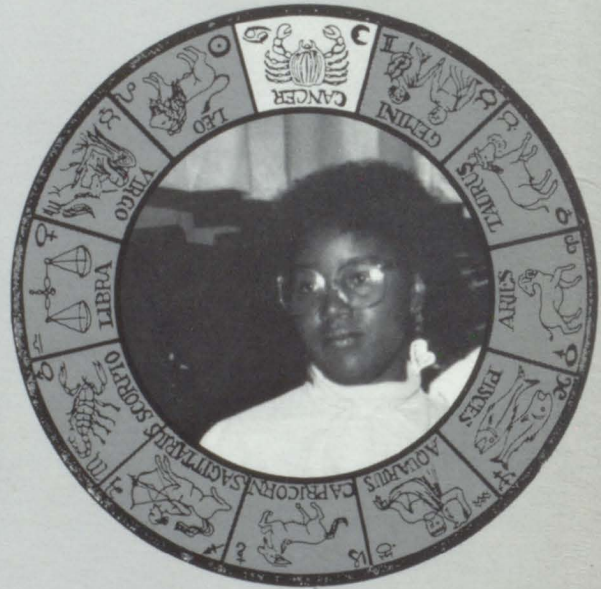
Desheeca Archer, Aries



Ivory Bryant, Aries



Velma Ellis, Cancer



Miss Cancer
Delores Hurst



Miss Aquarius
Denise Bates



Linda Jamison, Aquarius



Demitra Warren, Scorpio



Miss Scorpio
Bonita Walker



Deanna Morris, Scorpio



Rhoberta Hill, Scorpio



Sharon Hayden, Scorpio



Miss Gemini
Juanita
Stuckey



Anthony Wilder, Taurus



Deborah Wilkerson, Libra



Miss Libra
Delephia
Heyward-Bey



Lynette Carter, Libra



Sabrina Howard, Libra



Vickie Ellis, Libra



Miss Virgo
Sandra Mack



Stevonne Henry, Virgo



Tawanna Cooper, Leo



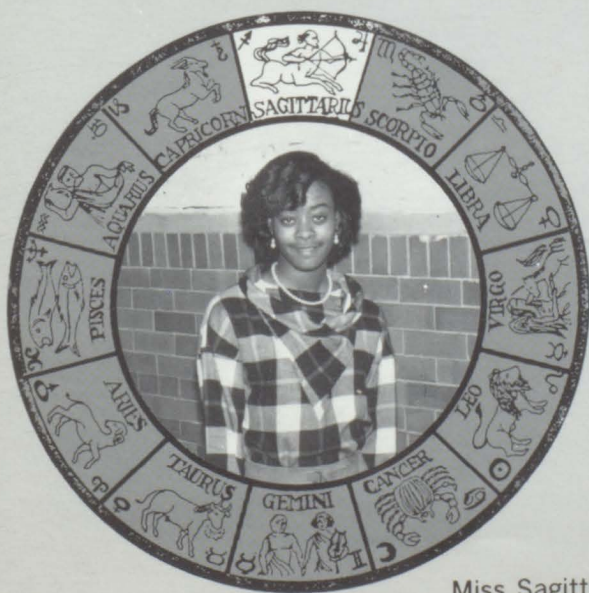
Miss Leo
Rosa Hamilton



Martha Streeter, Leo



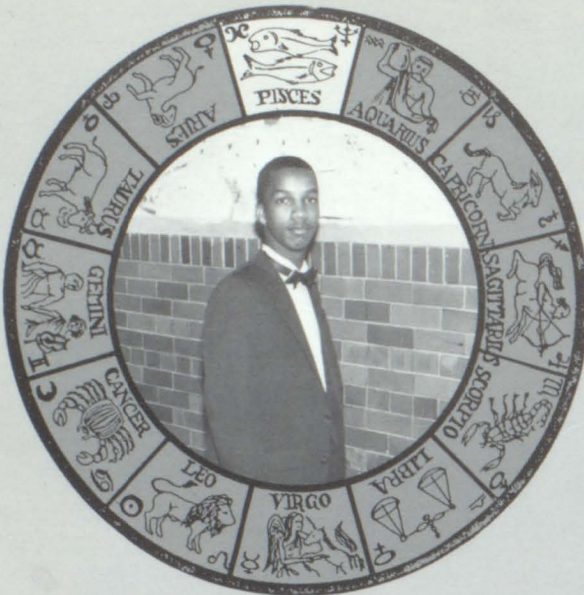
Jeffrey Cooper escorts a lovely lady, Sharon Hayden.



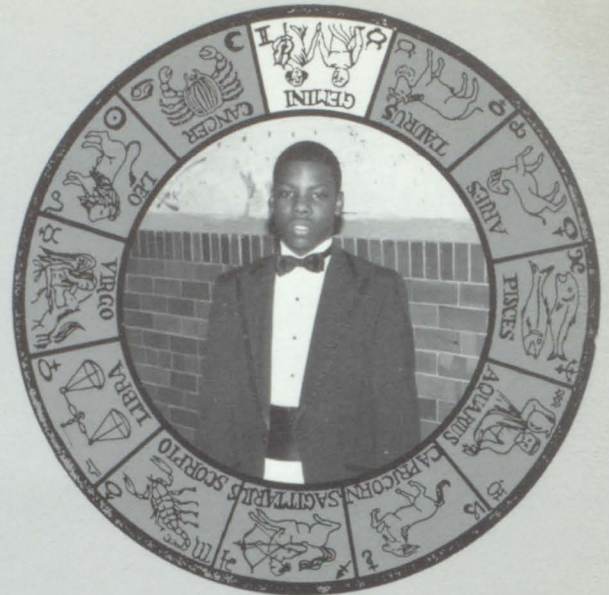
Miss Sagittarius
1st Runner-Up
Sherri Gregory



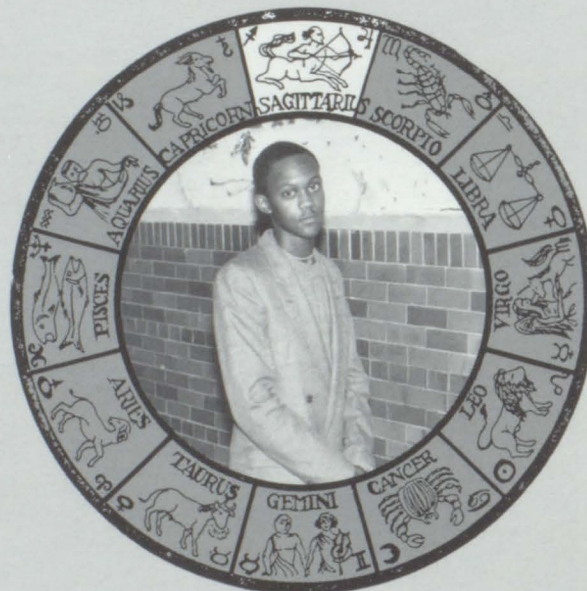
Shaleea Turner
Sagittarius



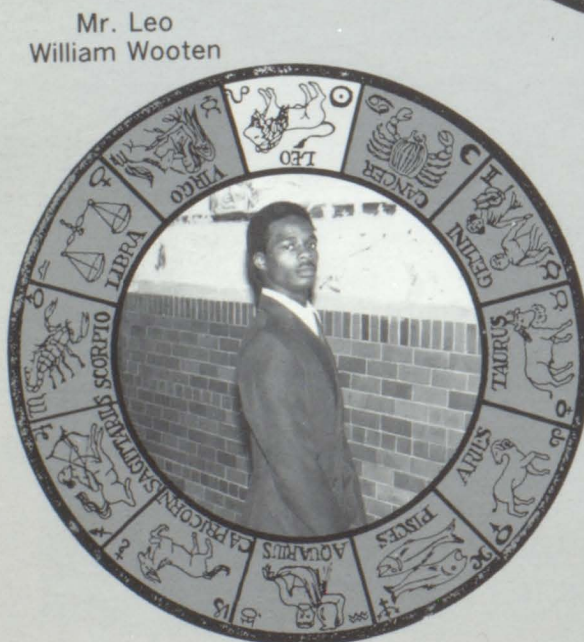
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Jeffrey Cooper



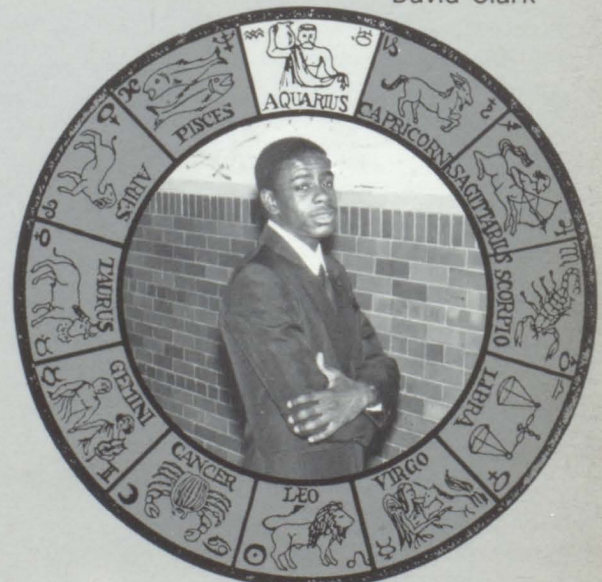
Mr. Gemini
James White



Mr. Sagittarius
Ronnie Suggs



Mr. Leo
William Wooten



Mr. Aquarius
David Clark



Carol White hands trophy to Deborah Wilkerson



Contestants dance to "Jungle Love"



Contestants take last bow



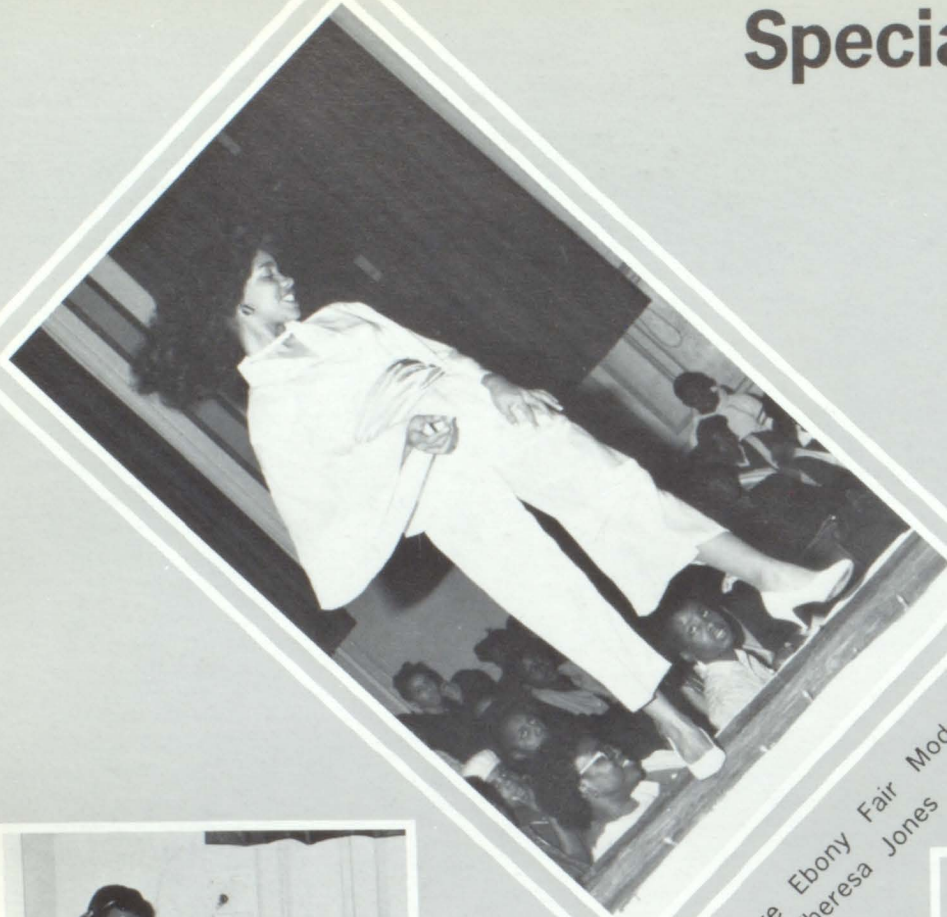
Miss Keisha Cureton sings an opening number



Cassandra Miller and Patricia Jones, Commentators for evening



Special Report— A W



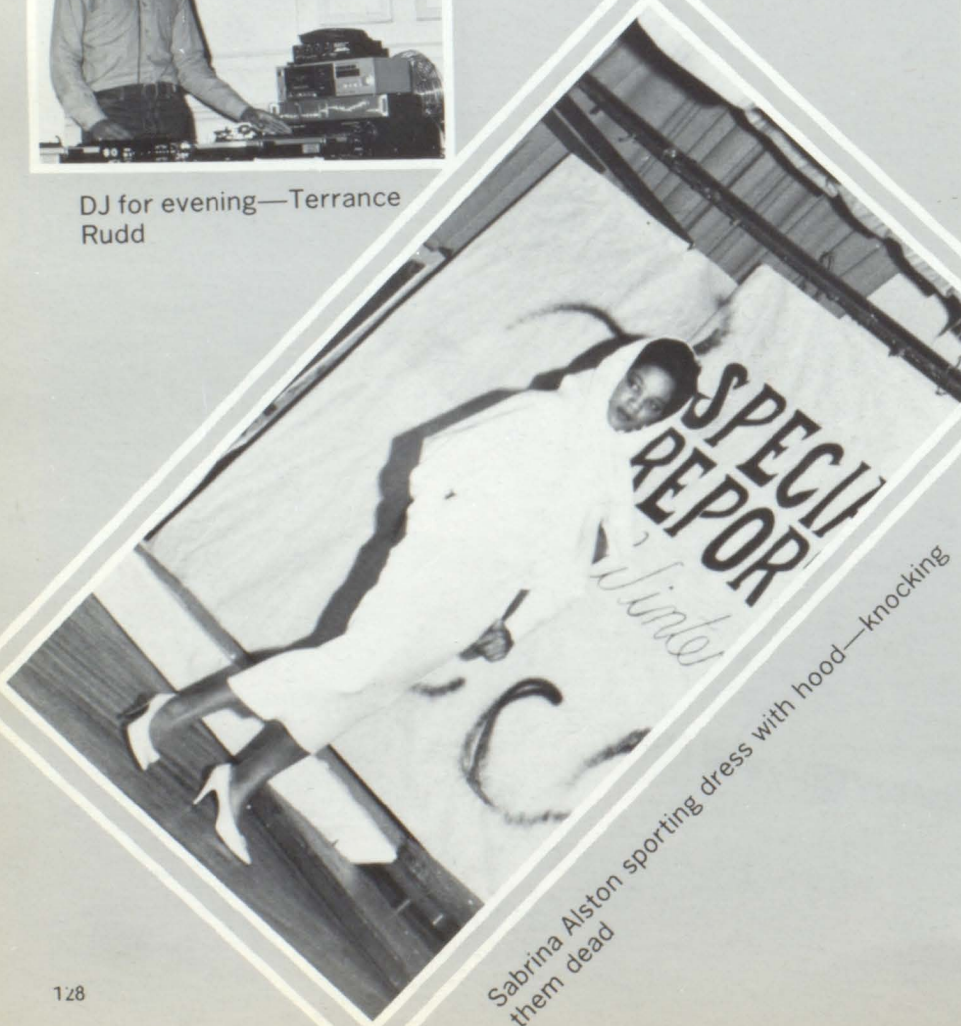
Future Ebony Fair Model—
Theresa Jones



Selina, Tonya, Sharon, and Christine are ready to face the cold weather



DJ for evening—Terrance Rudd

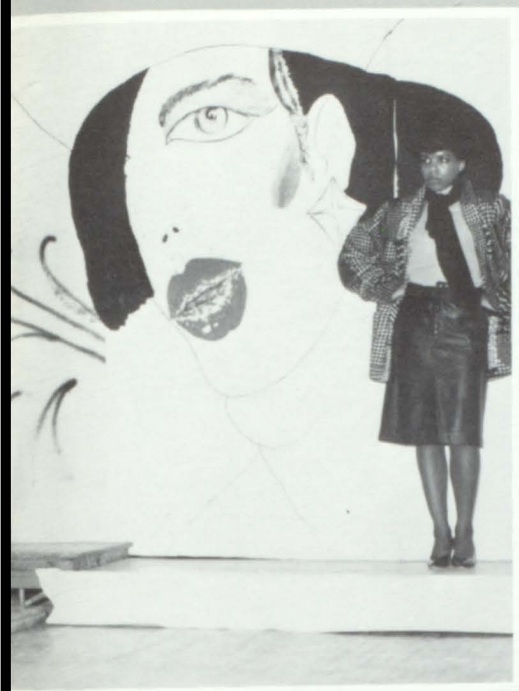


Sabrina Alston sporting dress with hood—knocking them dead



Tonya Bristol models a black and gray casual outfit

Winter Storm Of Fashion



Attention: GQ Magazine, Mr. Norman Dorch is ready



Rahman Ali
Commentator



Presenting, once again, Miss Theresa Jones modeling a blue coat



Sharon Hayden profiles in her black lace and burgundy

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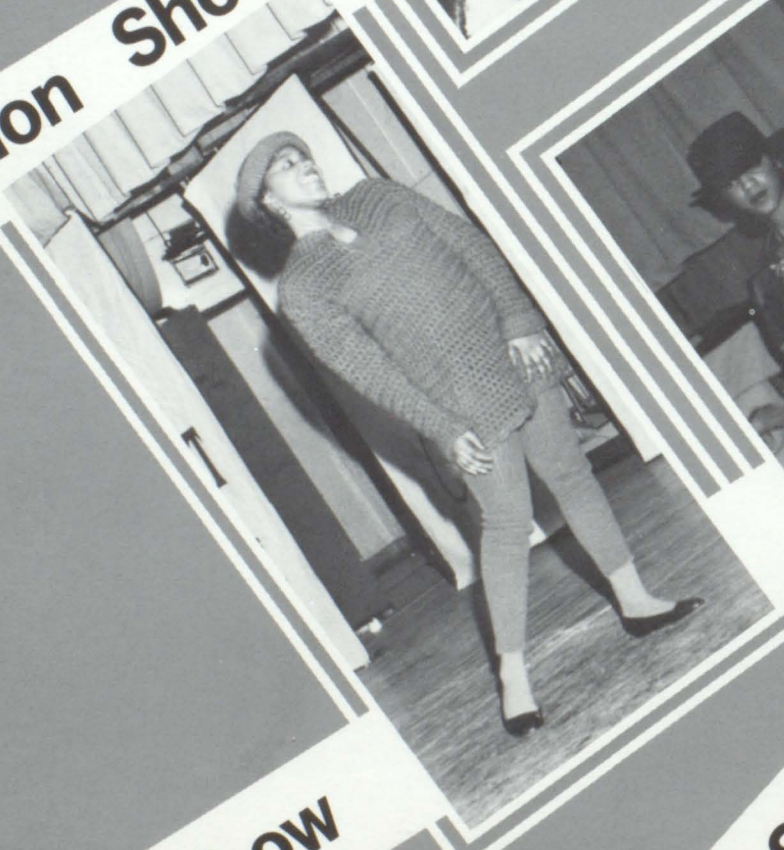
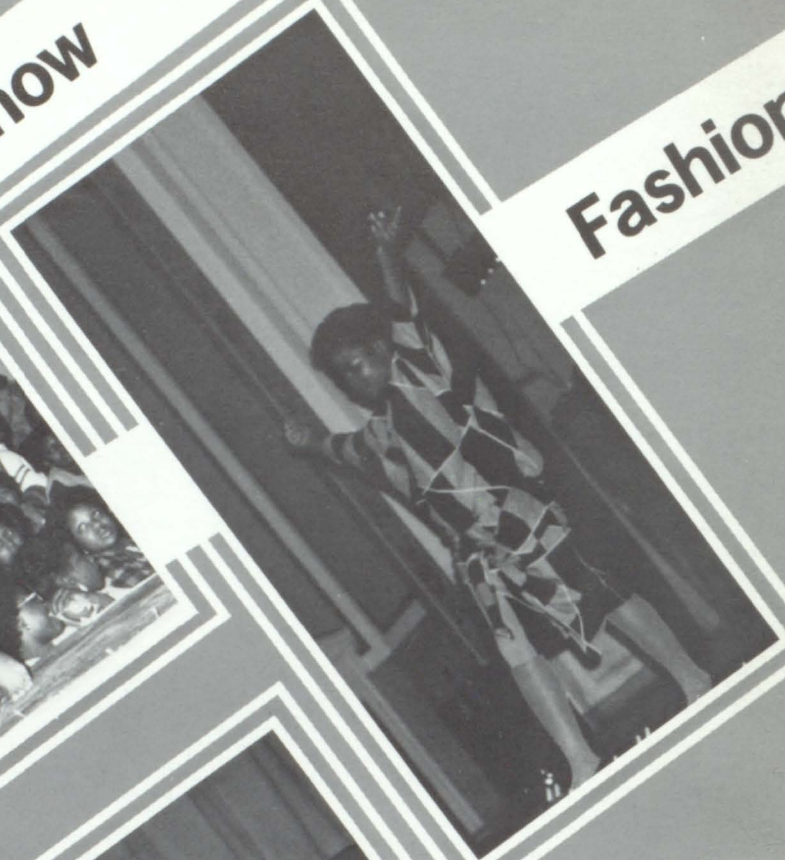
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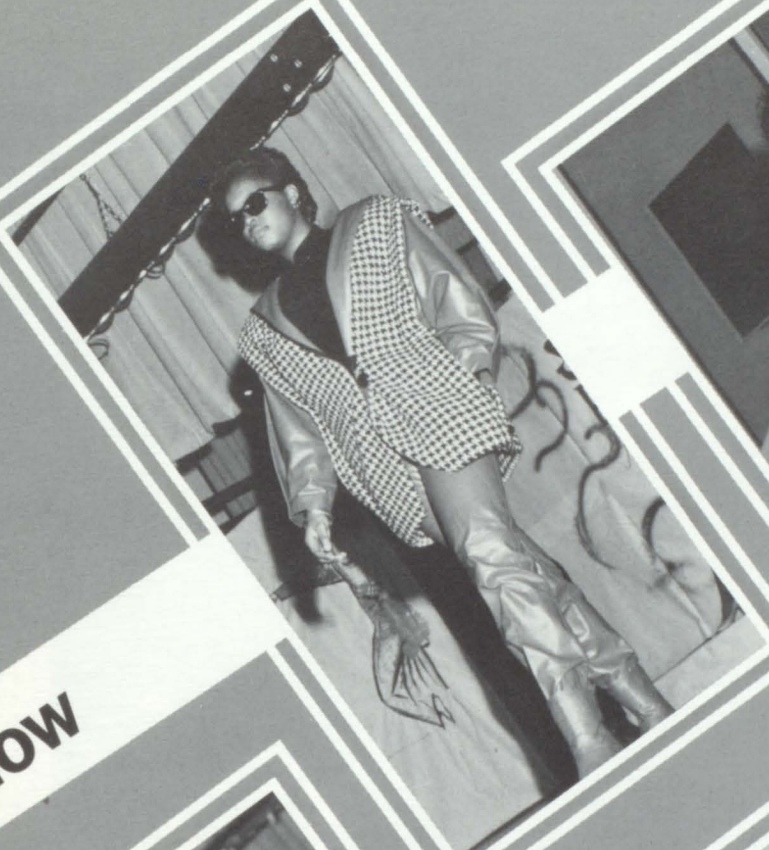
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Let Me Call You Sweetheart



Sweetheart King and Queen
Kimberly Davis & Maurice Little

THE CLASS OF 1985 cordially invites you to attend A SWEETHEART BALL

Friday evening, February 8, 1985

8:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

C. H. Walter Community Center

111 Sussex Avenue

Newark, New Jersey

Donation \$3.50



Kent Hines shoots picture of his classmates taking a step or two



Tony Cranford
Danielle Richardson



Lisa Taylor
Lamonn Blount



Michelle Wilkins
Eugene Cady



Charlene Flounory
David Clark



James Morris
Renee Graham



Catherine James
Gregory Lewis



Delephia Heyward-Bey
Dwight Williams



Bootsie pouring punch for her friends Sandy and Cheryl



Definitely sweethearts—Lisa, Brenda, and Theresa



Mrs. Cato snaps while her "babies" do their thing



Inseparable—Robin and Sheila



The Class of "85" has some fine guys



The Mix Brothers and Kenneth takes time from their busy schedule



Class officers on their usual post



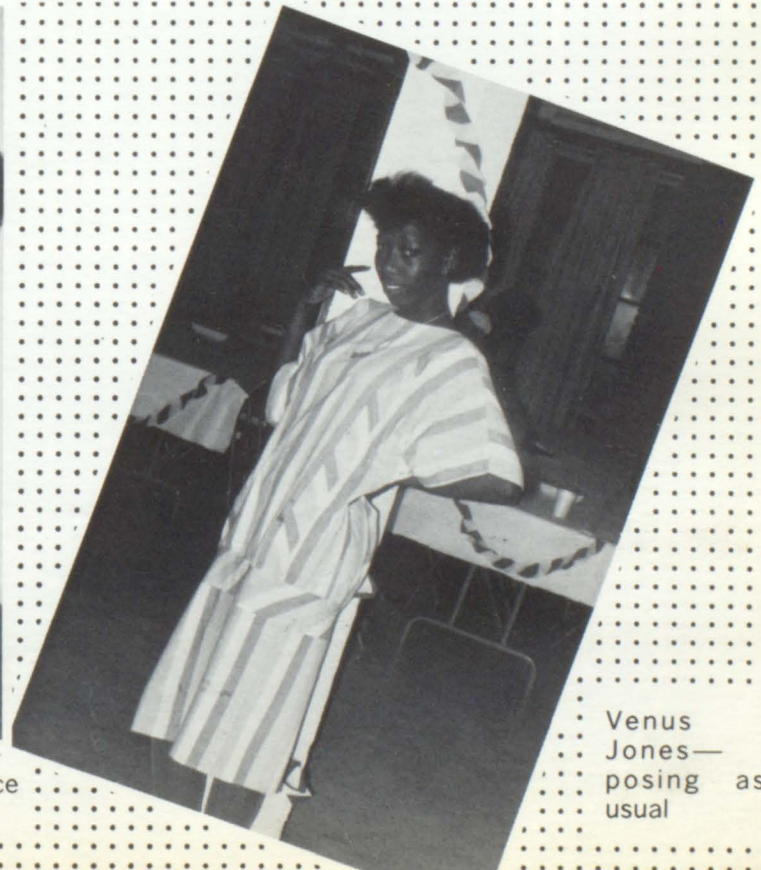
Maurice knows beauty—Theresa Jones



Johnnie Mae, Denise, Rosa, and Audrey were dressed to kill



Tony Cranford can not decide which lady he wants to dance with



Venus Jones—posing as usual

Clubs "R" Us

Senior Class Planning Committee



Back: S. Gregory, M. Wilkins, S. Henry, S. Hayden, M. Kimber, P. Thompson, F. Crawford, G. Lewis, D. Clark, C. Miller
Front K. Davis, M. Booker, C. White, S. Alston, J. James, R. Bogan, D. Heyward-Bey, R. Coston, P. Leak, S. Harris, D. Morris

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West Side High Mixed Chorus

Debating Team



D. Kettles, G. Jones, C. Montgomery, P. Scipio, G. Wright, A. Clemons, Mr. Silas (coach)

Sewing Club



P. Murphy, Y. Daniels, S. Turner, Ms. Brown, K. Harper, P. Brunson



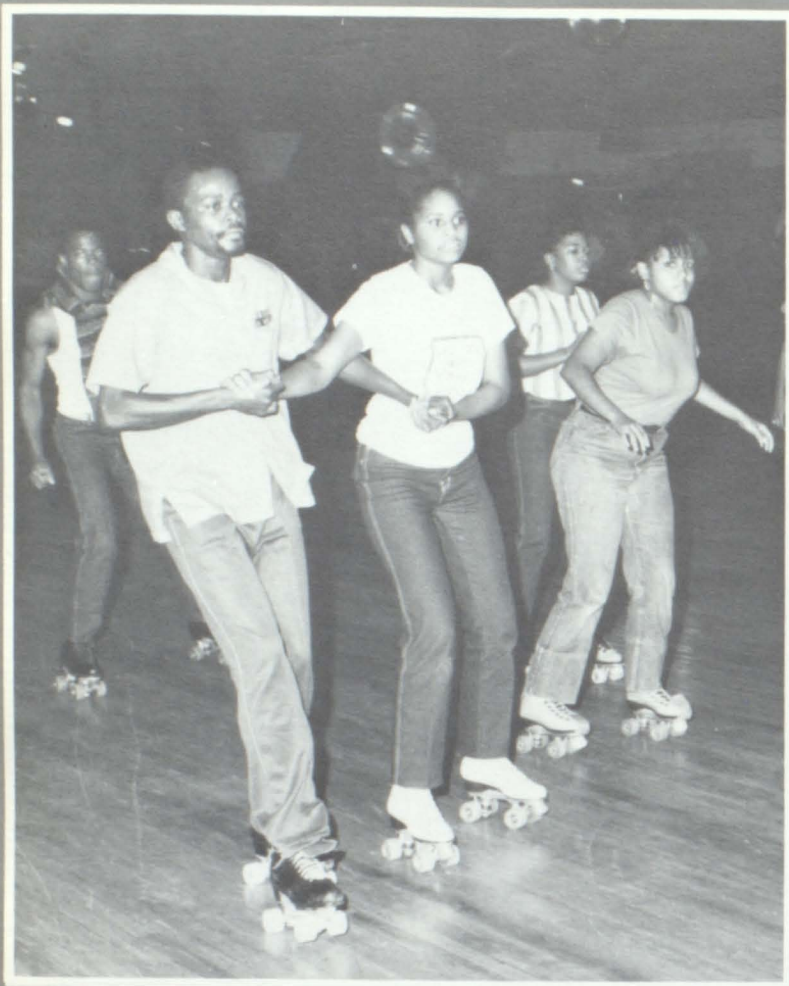
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Top M. Booker, K. Davis, C. Miller, S. Hayden, S. Alston, M. Kimber, K. Gant, C. Flounory, D. Clark, D. Bethea Bottom Ms. Jessie, S. Gregory, R. Bogan, L. Grier, C. White, J. James, M. Cureton, D. Morris, G. Reese, B. Brown, Ms. Miller



1985 LAMP STAFF

Instant Replay



MiMi and Carol having a good time skating



Seniors participating as usual



Handsome ladies and gents all dressed up at Sweetheart Ball



Contestants patiently await decisions at Zodiac Pageant



Ladies dancing at Thanksgiving Pageant



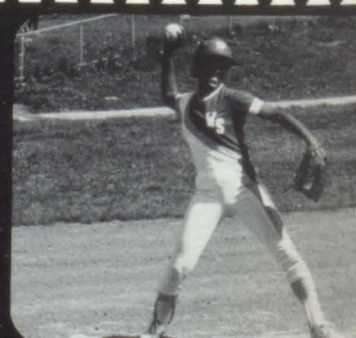
Six young ladies receive ovation at Thanksgiving Pageant



Miss Sharon Hayden receives crown at Zodiac Pageant



Lovely seniors display form and personality at Fashion Show

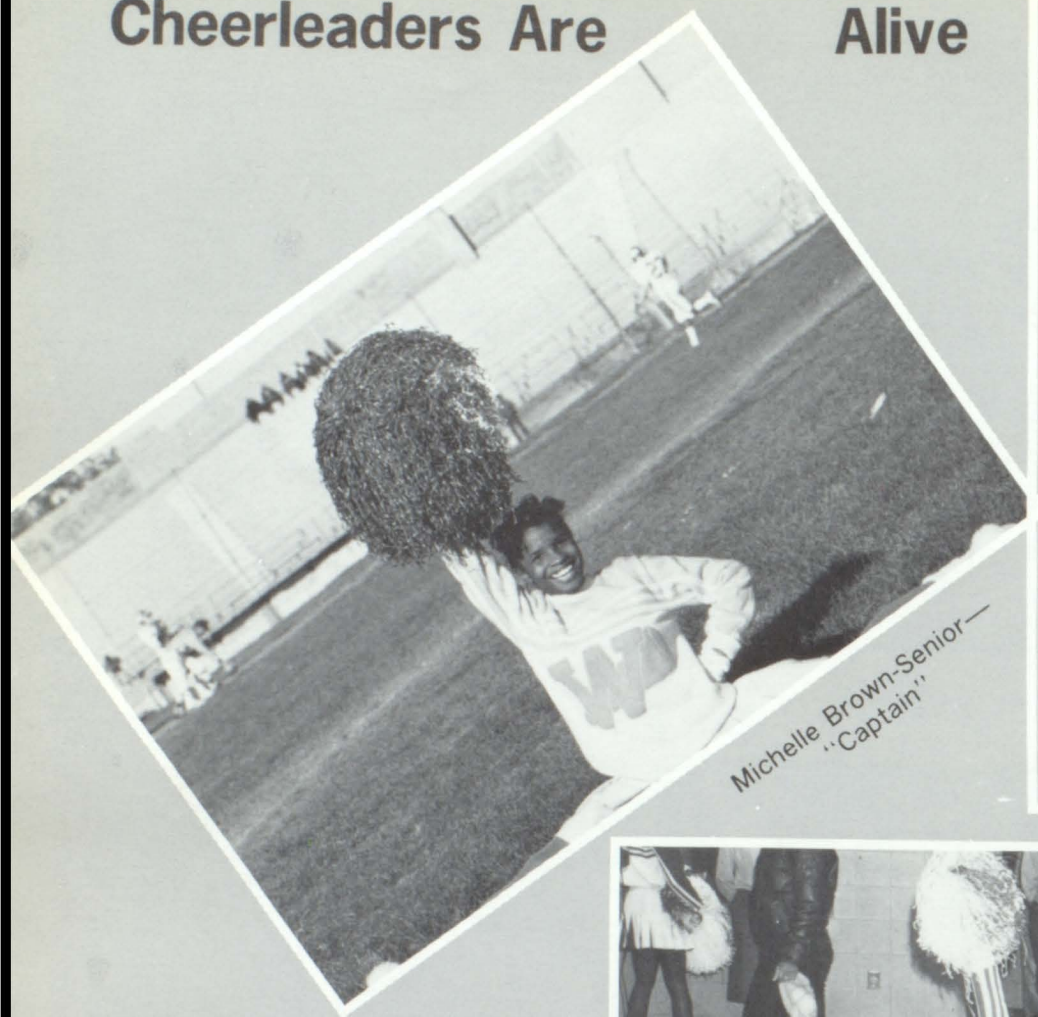


Sports



Cheerleaders Are

Alive



Michelle Brown-Senior—
"Captain"



Enthusiastic, hardworking, and school spirited describe the 1984-85 cheerleading and pep squads, who are under the supervision of Ms. Fathiyyah Shamsiddeen, the new advisor.

Aside from cheering in front of spectators, the cheerleaders worked diligently participating for competitions and competing in them.

The seniors that are leaving will be missed, and they left a legacy that all cheerleaders should have: fun to work with, respectable, and always striving to do the best in all their endeavors.

The cheerleading squad consists of Michelle Brown (captain), DiJuan McFadden (co-captain), Brenda Hinton, Sheila Harris (co-captain), Dawn James, Bonita Chandler, Kendella Clark, Janell Barnes, Stacy Dupree, and Theresa Jones (alternate). The pep squad consists of Danielle Richardson, Giselle Fitzgerald, Tonya Bristol, Cassandra Miller, Delaine Bailey, and K. Salaudin.



Brenda Hinton-Senior



Sheila Harris-Senior—"Co-captain"

In '85"



Cheerleaders and pep squad whoop it up at game in spite of the inclement weather.



DiJuan McFadden-Senior—"Co-captain"



Top: Michelle Brown Center: Dawn James & Stacey Dupree Bottom: DiJuan McFadden, Bonita Chandler, Janell Barnes, Kendella Clark, and Sheila Harris.

Pep Squad Members



Top row: Delaine Bailey, Khadijah Salahudin, Tawanna Hilliard Middle row: Tonya Bristol, Giselle Fitzgerald, Cheryl Williams Bottom row: Danielle Richardson, Cassandra Miller



Delaine Bailey displays her roses and crown for title of Miss Pep Squad



Tonya Bristol-Senior

Are Unique



The pep squad's cheering on the football team at the Homecoming game

Cassandra Miller-Senior—Captain



Danielle Richardson-Senior—enjoys being on the Pep Squad.

1984 Football Squad—Ready To Go



Bottom Row (Left to right): Mark Suber, Prail Underwood, Rafael Halsey, Kent Hines, Joe Williams, Quanty Norris, Ramond Johnson, Terry McGee
Middle Row: Robert Jackson, Andre Jones, Terrance Rudd, Marion Bell, Craig Boom, Jerome Brown, Jeff Green, Darryl Aikens
Top Row: Eric Humphrey, Percy Wright, Kimble Wright, Tony Ivory, Terrance Shelton, Darryl White, David Carter, Allan Gibbs.

Coach Whipps Strives For Excellence

The West Side High football team did not have a winning season. However, with the help of coaches and fellow team mates, the guys learned such good qualities—good sportsmanship, and the importance of being a student first and an athlete second. They learned that without a good sound academic background that failure is doomed.

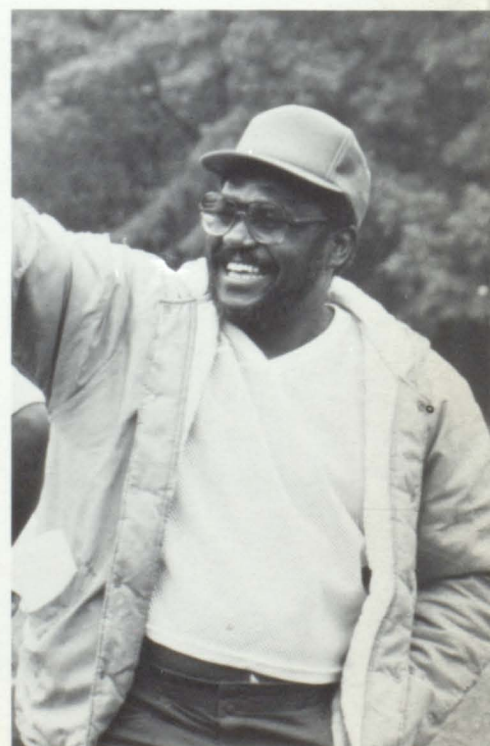
We as coaches must check on students class performances at all times. This includes their attendance and conduct. We can not emphasize the importance of a good education enough.

Good luck in all you endeavors!!

Coach Edgar Whipps



Coaches Soloman, Carter and Harvey—assistants



Mr. Edgar Whipps—Head Coach



Half time's over—let's play!



Robert Jackson—getting taped for the game

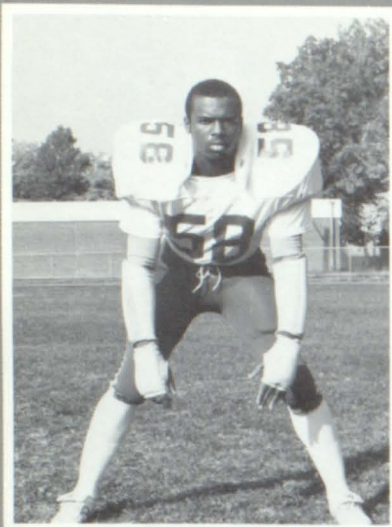


Andre Jones sweeping left to avoid tackle

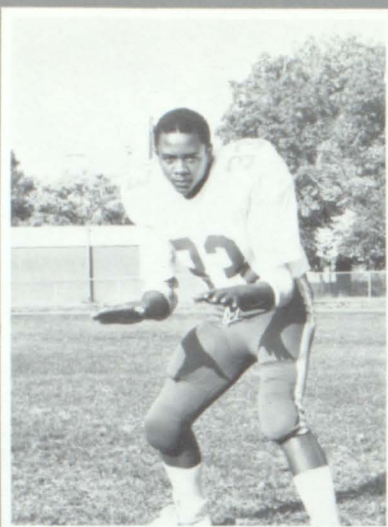


Kent Hines accepting hand-off

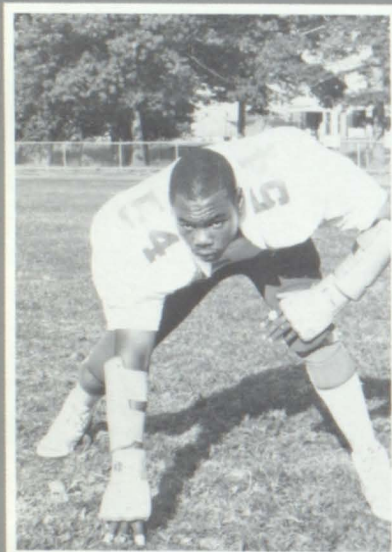
Seniors



David Carter
LINEBACKER



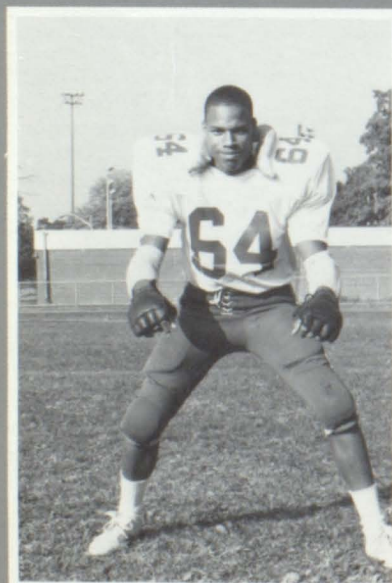
Terrance Rudd
RUNNING BACK SAFETY



Eric Humphrey
LINEBACKER CENTER



Andre Jones-All City
RUNNER BACK



Allen Gibbs
CENTER



Kent Hines
SLOT BACK

Riders Action



Andre Jones advances closer to goal line.



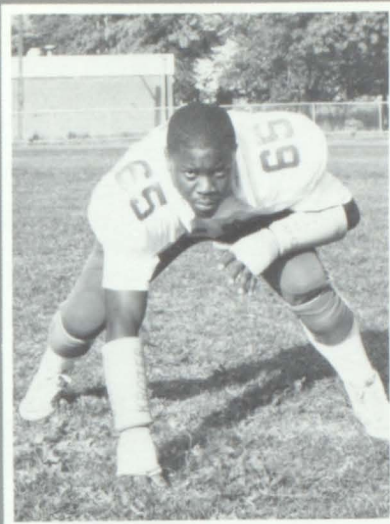
Arthur Chisolm's carrying the ball for first down play.

All The Way

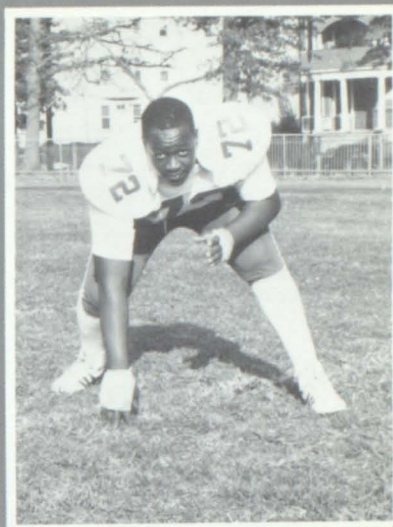


Percy Wright rushing the quarterback.

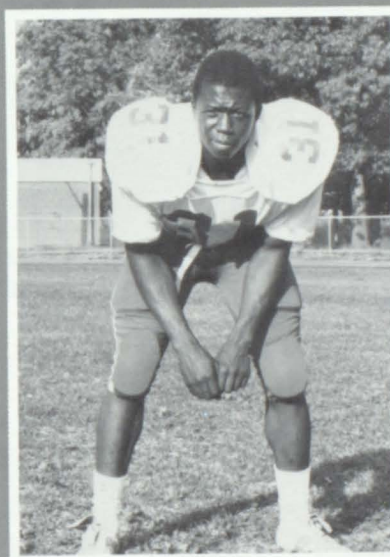
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Darryl White-All-City
GUARD



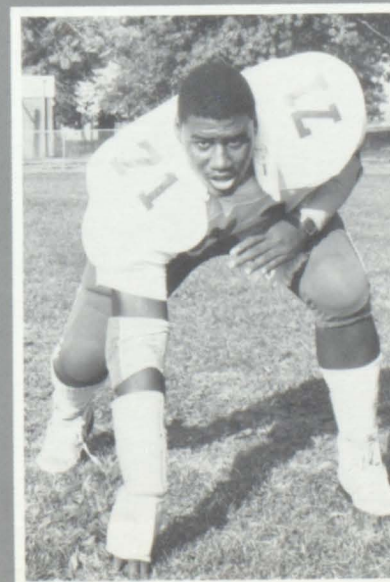
Terrance Shelton
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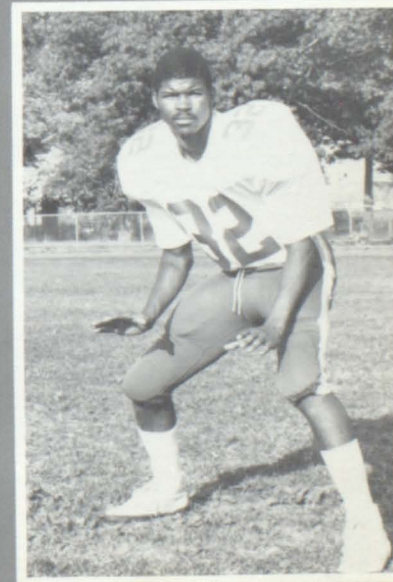
Darryl Aikens
LINEBACKER



Robert Jackson-All City
SPLIT END



Percy Wright-All City
TACKLE



Edward Brown
CORNER BACK

Cross Country Excels

Co-captains David Clark and Keith Gant were the key members of the Cross Country Team. Clark placed 11th in the city and 18th in the County Championship. Seniors David Bethea and Keith Gant (an All County sprinter) always managed to look respectable at the meets. Victor Colter, and Jerry Flounory were other captivating runners.

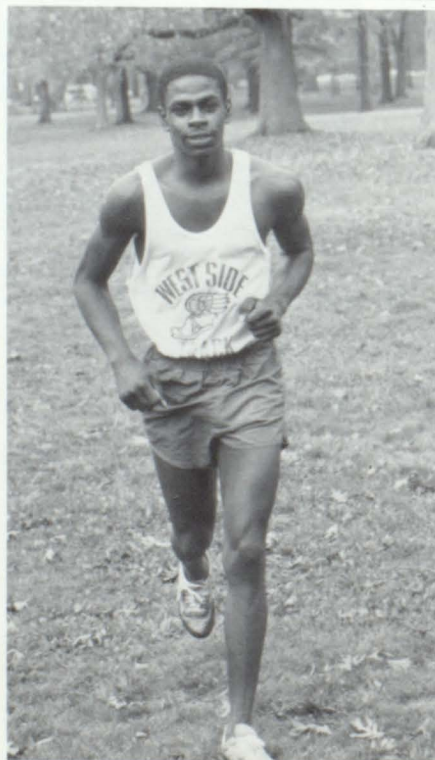
Waudda Faried and Charlene Flounory were the two main catalyst for the Lady Riders. Waudda placed 7th in the city and 12th in the County Championship. Angela Hill, Doria Arrington, and Tonya Wilkinson were other key members of the team.



Standing (Left to right): Coach Stoney, David Jamison, David Clark, Keith Gant, Victor Colter, Waudda Faried, Mark Frogsmore, Andrea Taylor, Jerry Flounory Kneeling (left to right) Teeshier Ellis, Angela Hill, Gregory Ferguson, Christine Broadnax, Doria Arrington



Keith Gant putting on a burst of speed

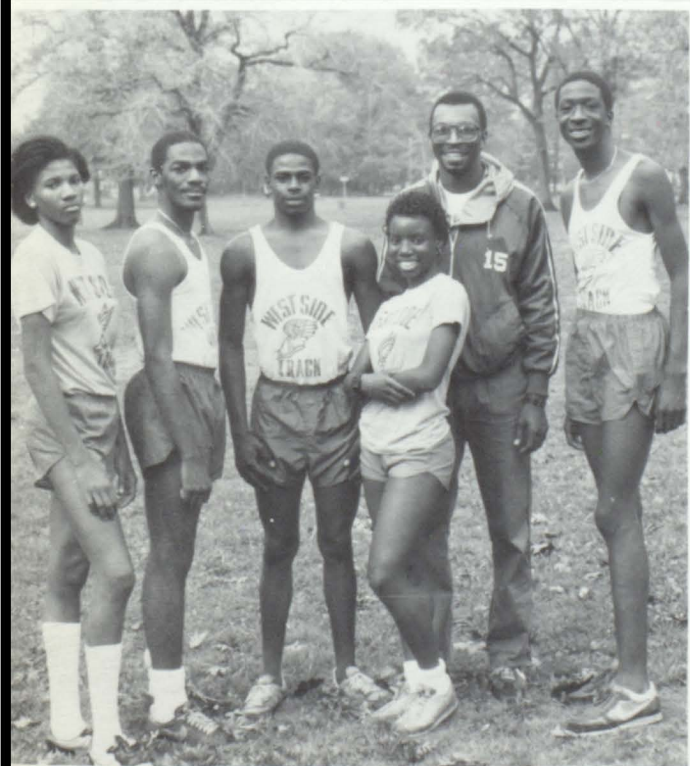


David Clark heading toward the finish line



Waudda Faried Jockeying for position: waiting to make her move

As Usual



The captains—Waudda Faried, Keith Gant, David Clark, Angela, Coach Stoney, and Victor Colter

Seniors



Waudda Faried "leading the pack"



Keith Gant



Waudda Faried



David Clark heading toward the finish line

Riderettes Are On The Ball



Front Row: R. Johnson, T. Olivo, M. Singley, A. Graham, S. Lamb. Second Row: J. Tuck, S. Plush, E. Huff. Third Row: M. Jefferson, R. Holland, S. Armstead, D. McMiller. Not pictured Shirlene Spencer

The 1984-1985 West Side Girls' Basketball season represented a series of contrasts. The final record was 17-7 and the team was ranked 2nd in the city and 5th in the county. That is a tribute to the hard work of these young ladies.

The high points of the season were the opening win over St. Anthony's, a championship in the Christmas tournament, handing Shabazz their first City loss in five years, and winning first round games in the State and County tournaments. These were contrasted with a few low points, the upsets by Central and Vailsburg and the final season loss at Randolph.

Individually the girls had record performances. Shyron Plush closed out a great four year career with records for most points in a game (51), most points in a career (1523). She also became the first West Side player to be selected for the North-South All Star Team.

Mona Singley had just as fine a year. She scored the 1000th point of her career and also broke the one-season scoring record with 538 points.

In contrast to these young ladies closing out their high school careers, these are the ones who just began theirs with fine hopes for next year. Michelle Jefferson and Alicia Graham developed steadily during the year and showed that they should be next year's team leaders. Syeda Lamb came out of nowhere to take a starting position and contributed a great deal to the overall team success. In addition, Joyce Turk, Tany Olivo and Elizabeth Huff got to show that they are future players to think about.

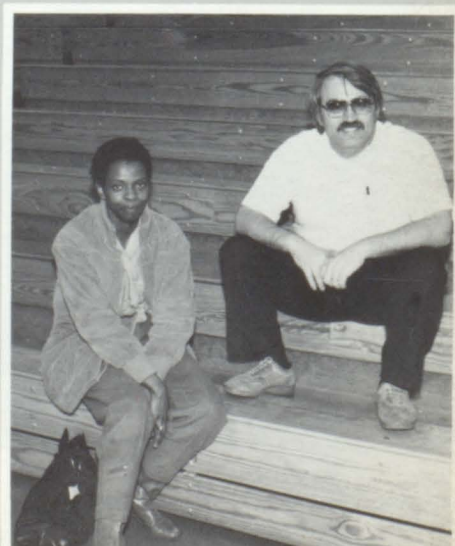
Overall it was a good year for Girls Basketball, and leaves fine hope that as the young players develop, they will be able to take the place of Shyron and Mona and keep a winning tradition at West Side.



Shyron Plush advances toward basket.



Syeda Lamb gets ready to make two.



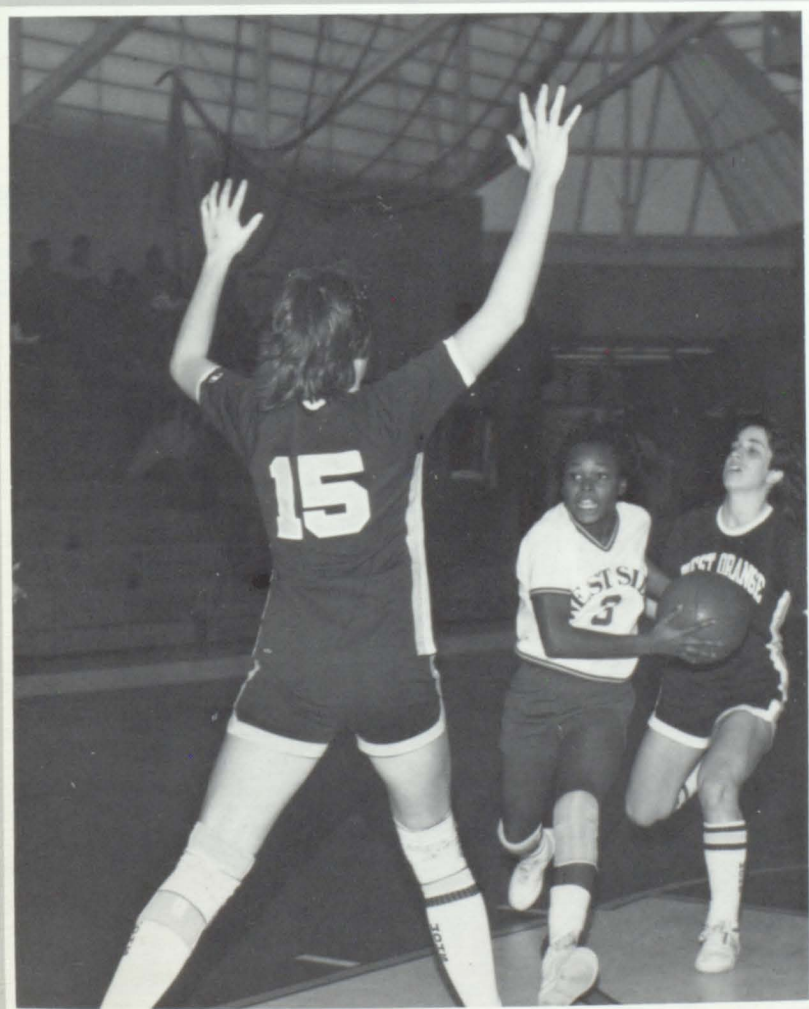
Coaches Debra Walker and Pete Repoli



Seniors
Shyron Plush
Mona Singley
Desiree McMiller



Shyron Plush, leader scorer, reached 1523 points for career.

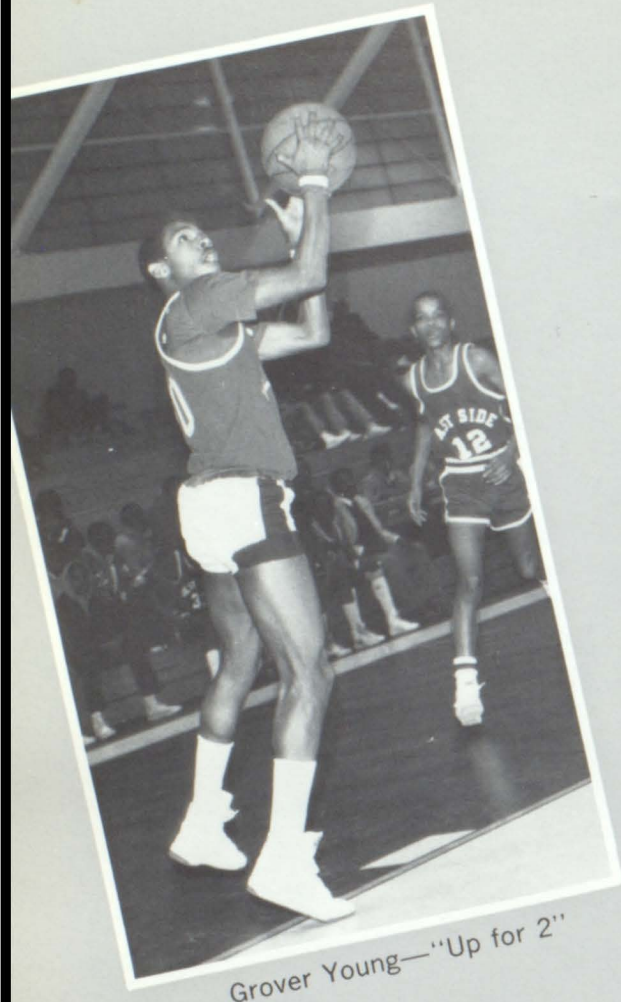


Mona Singley broke one season scoring record with 538 points.

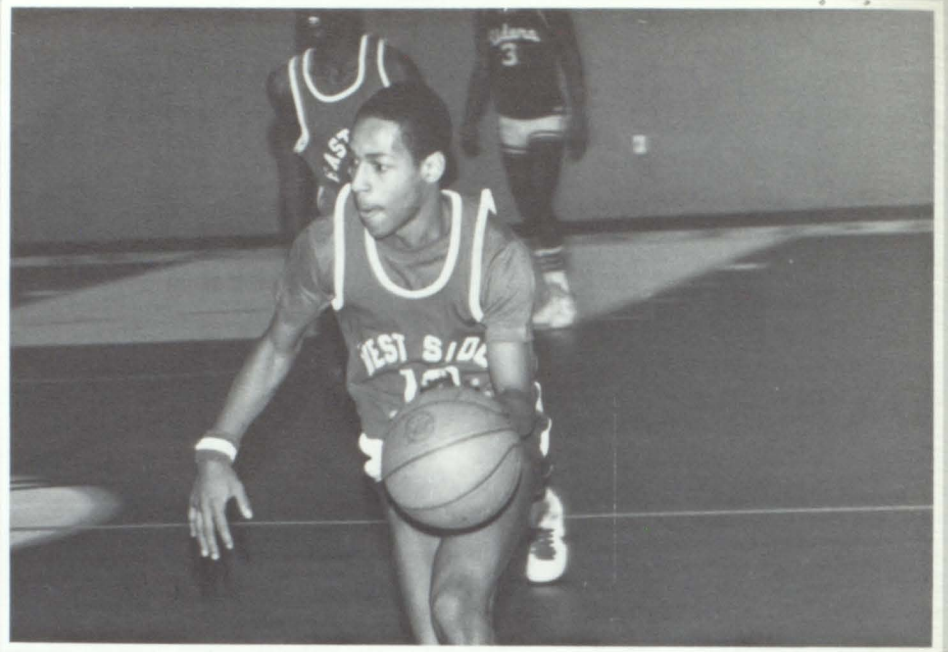


Shirlene Spencer goes for rebound.

Junior Riders-



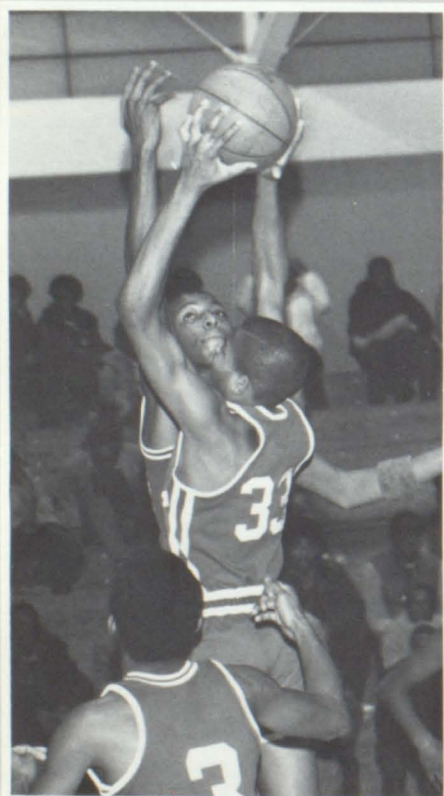
Grover Young—"Up for 2"



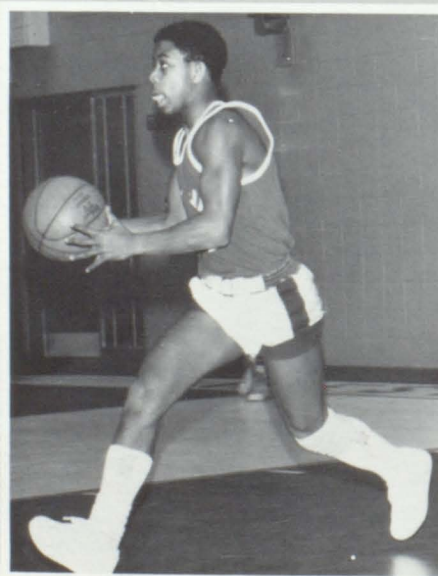
Grover Young—taking it right

At present West Side High School, J.V. Basketball Team has a record of 4 wins and 7 losses. Four of the losses have been by 3 points or less. The J.V. team is led by point guard Ralph Curtis and Grover Young who average 12.6 pts. per game, along with the help of Marc Troy, a freshman, who has been rebound at a 9.5 clip a game.

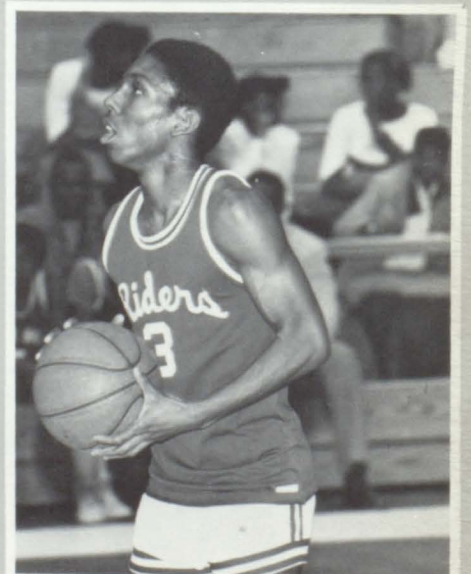
With our lack of height we made up for it with speed. We should have a respectable season (.500) when it's all finished. The team's enthusiasm for the game and the fine coaching that they will receive on varsity from Mr. Blue (a former all-star from East Side H. S. and Montclair State) should help them in learning the game and to help in making West Side a team that will be able to go in the clinches and come out a winner.



Anthony Drake—"This is mines"



Ralph Curtis—looking for the open man



Charles Little-At the free throw line

Right On Target



Mr. Avnet (time-keeper) and Miss Dildy (score-keeper) enjoy the game



Coach Lawson—anticipation



Next year we'll be varsity too!



Scott on the tap



Charles Little—going for the steal



"Jump! Scott Jump!"

Basketball



COACH BLUE AND TEAM ARE IN THE GREEN



Standing (left to right) Coach Calvin Blue, Willie Mix, Scott Trimmer, Otis Halsey, Ray Miller, Eric Ebron, Keith Bell, Ass't Coach Gene Lawson
Kneeling (left to right) David Cooper, Ronnie McGhee, Tony Brooks, James Coleman, Terrance Dent, Charles Little.

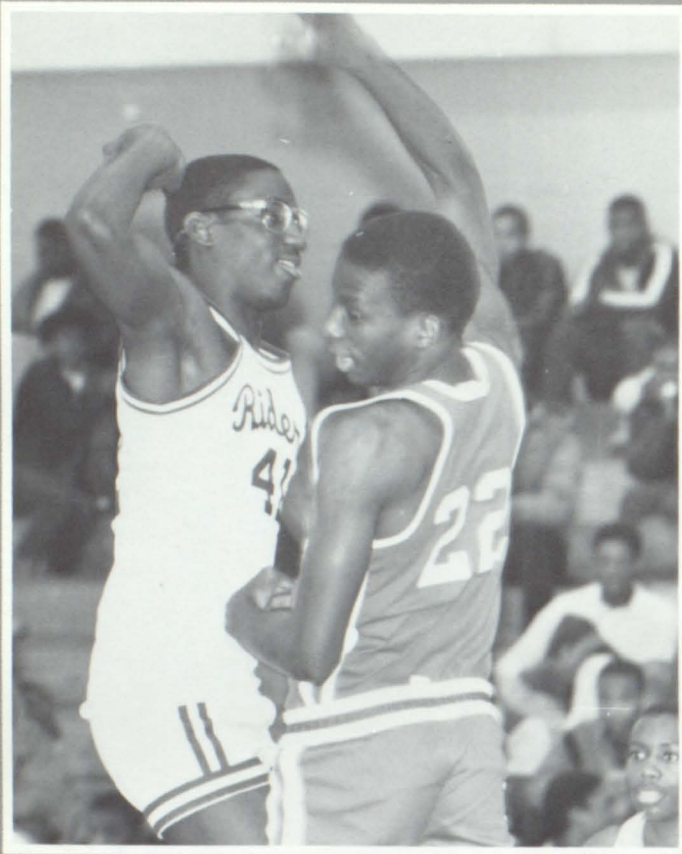
The West Side Basketball team lead by co-captains Raymond Miller, Eric Ebron, Ronnie McGee, seniors David Cooper, Otis Halsey, Keith Bell, and Willie Mix; juniors Darrel Williams, Terrance Dent, Charles Little, James Coleman, and freshman Scott Trimmer were off to a slow start this season. The Rough Riders had a very inexperienced team this season in spite of the fact that the team had seven seniors. Only one of the seniors is a season veteran from last season. Playing the first six games on the road, the inexperienced Rough Riders lost them all. It wasn't until the second home game that the Rough Riders put together their first victory. The team then proceeded to win six out of their next seven games.

The team's turnaround was due in part to the experience that was gained in those first seven losses. The improved playing received from David Cooper and Otis Halsey was a major part in the team's turn-about. Cooper has been averaging 15 points, 10 rebounds per game and Halsey has averaged 11 points and 13 rebounds per game. Combined this with the leadership the team has been receiving from Ray Miller and Ronnie McGee, plus the pivot play of Eric Ebron, the defensive play of Terrance Dent, and the offensive play of Tony Brooks the Rough Riders should do well in their remaining games.

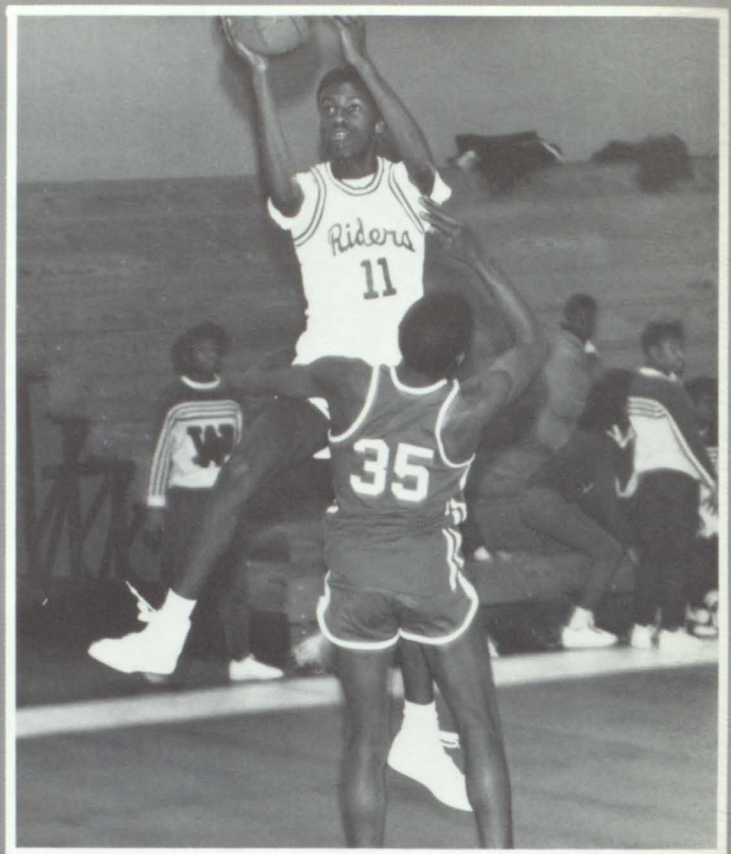


Coach Blue is coaching from the sideline

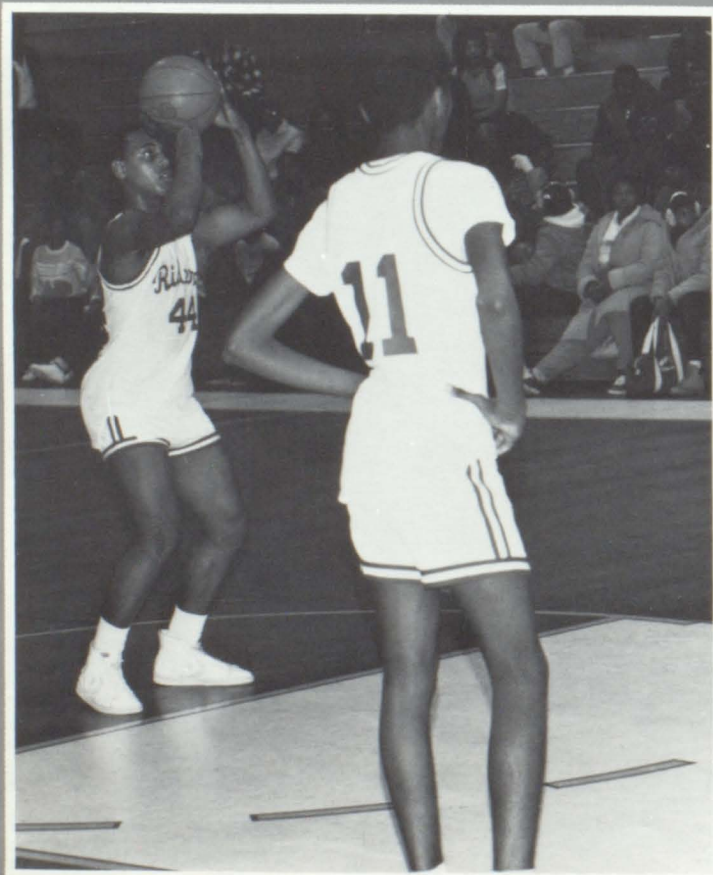
Senior Stars "Shake And Bake"



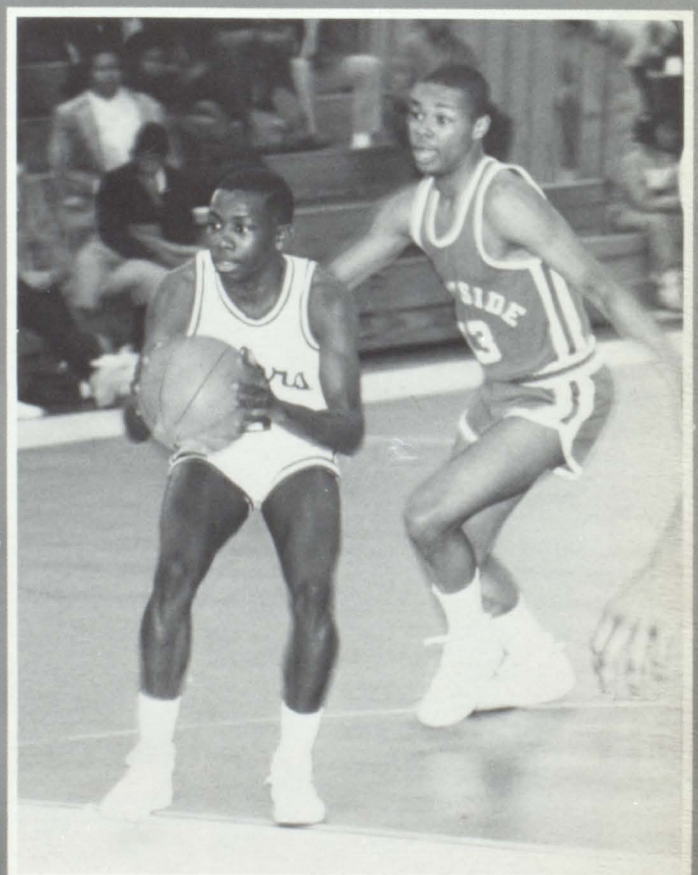
Eric Ebron—guarding opponent



Ray Miller—This one's for you



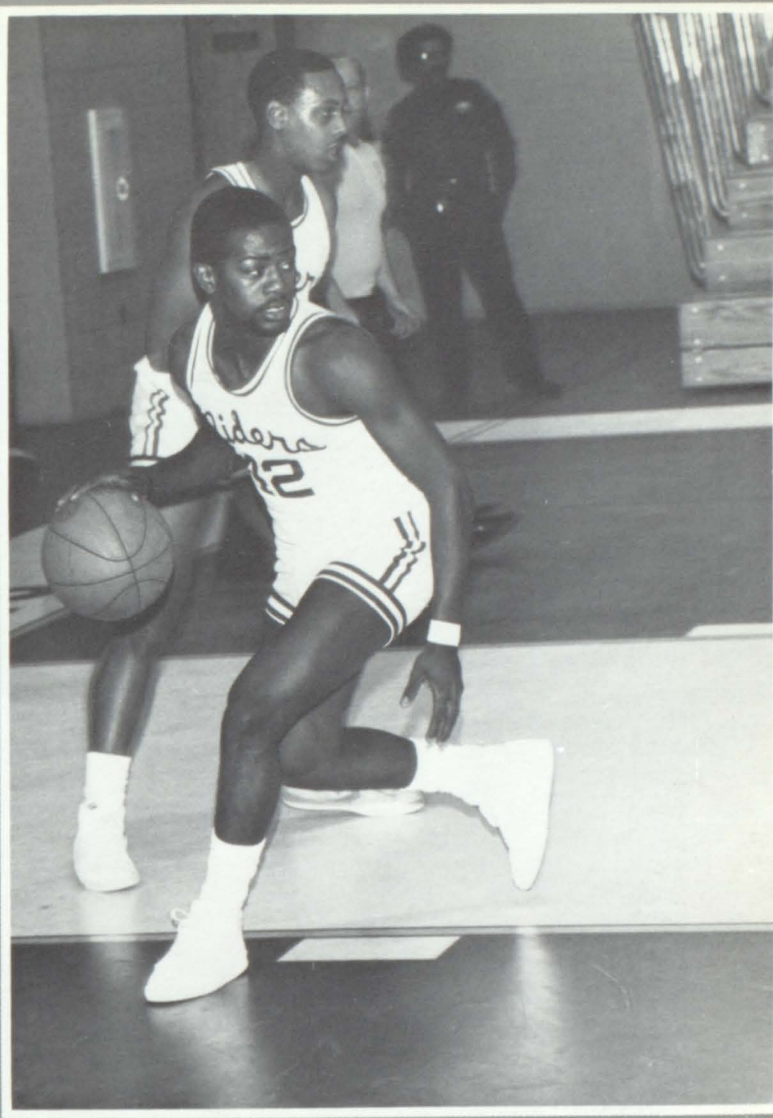
David Cooper—at the free throw line



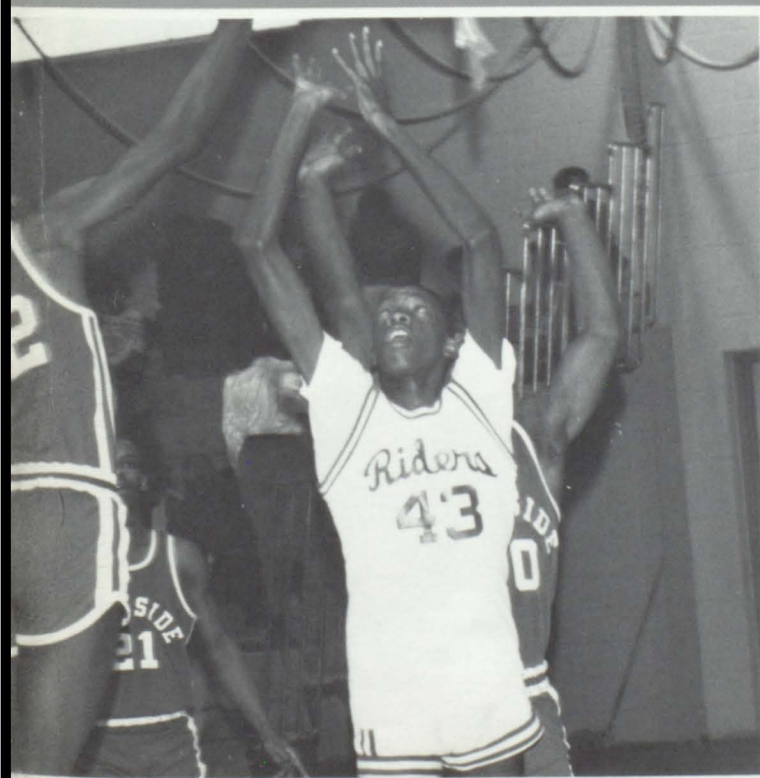
Ronnie McGhee—getting ready to make two



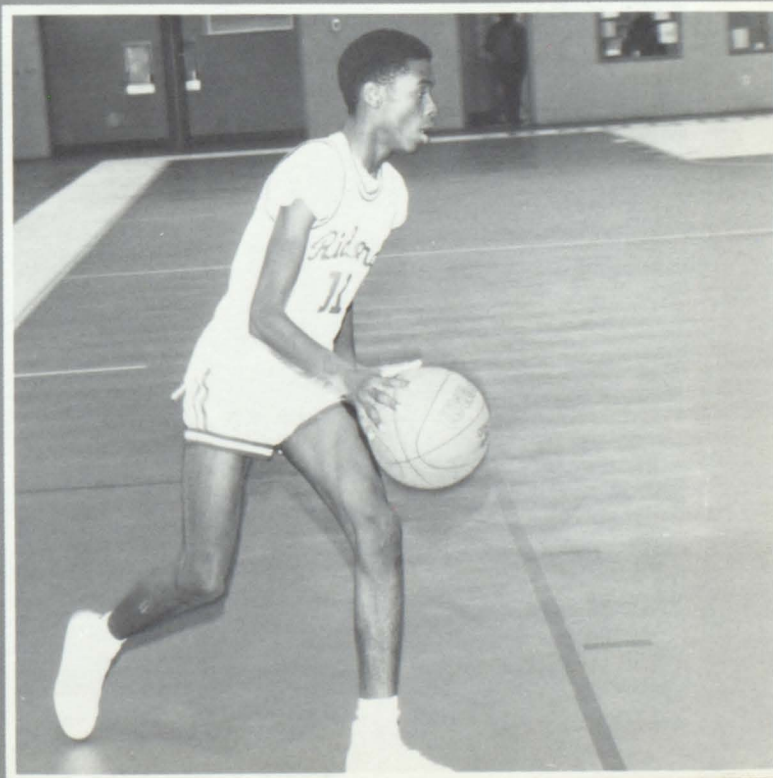
David Cooper—shake & bake time



Terrance Dent—Controlling the Tempo



Otis Haley—Watch the bouncing ball



Ray Miller—the survivor

TRACK TEAM



Standing (left to right): Coach Stoney, Al-nisa Shaw, Beverly Gadson, Angela Hill, Chantel Moses, Andrea Taylor, Doria Arrington, Charlene Flounory.

Keith Gant, David Clark, David Bethea, Waudda Faried, Charlene Flounory, and Al-nisa Shaw were the key senior members of this year's track team. These runners have been selected to various All-City, All-County, and All-State teams.

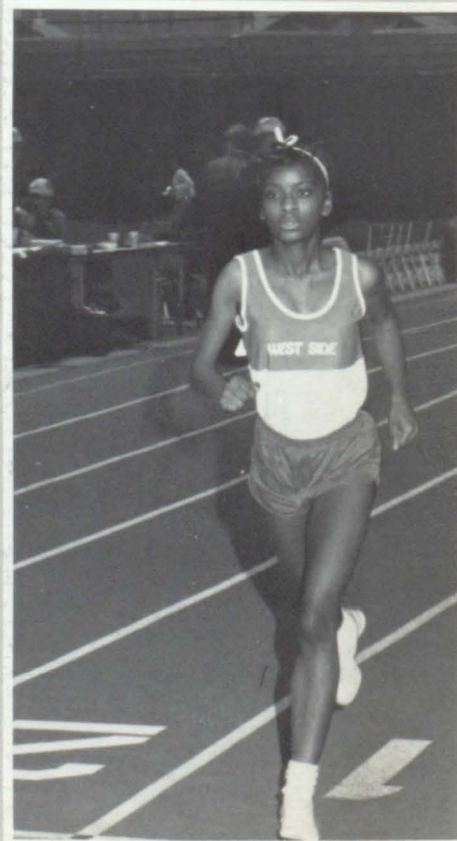
During the runners track careers at West Side, medals were won at such prestigious meets as the Millrose Games, Eastern States Championships, Penn Relays, U. S. Invitational, N.Y. Relays only to mention a few.

These runners were hard working, devoted, and dedicated. The school and community are quite proud of their success and accomplishments. Always remember the track motto:

**HARD WORK + PRIDE =
SUCCESS**

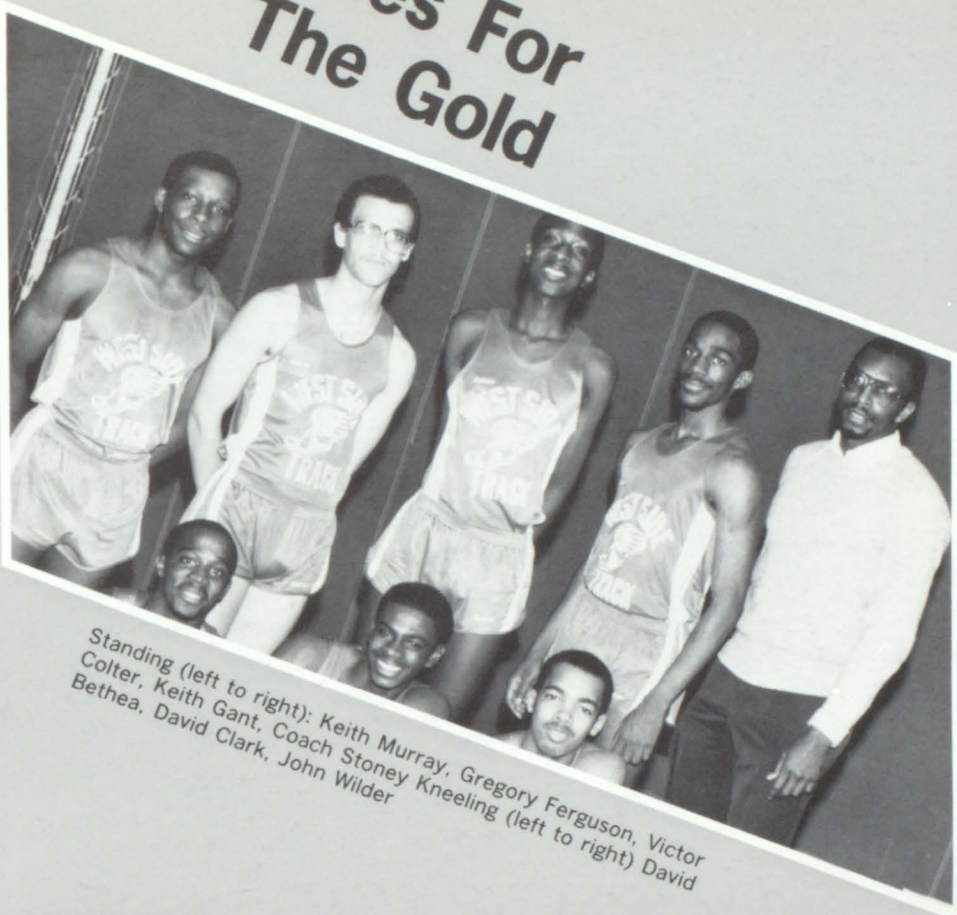


All-County hurdler and captain—Waudda Faried shows winning form



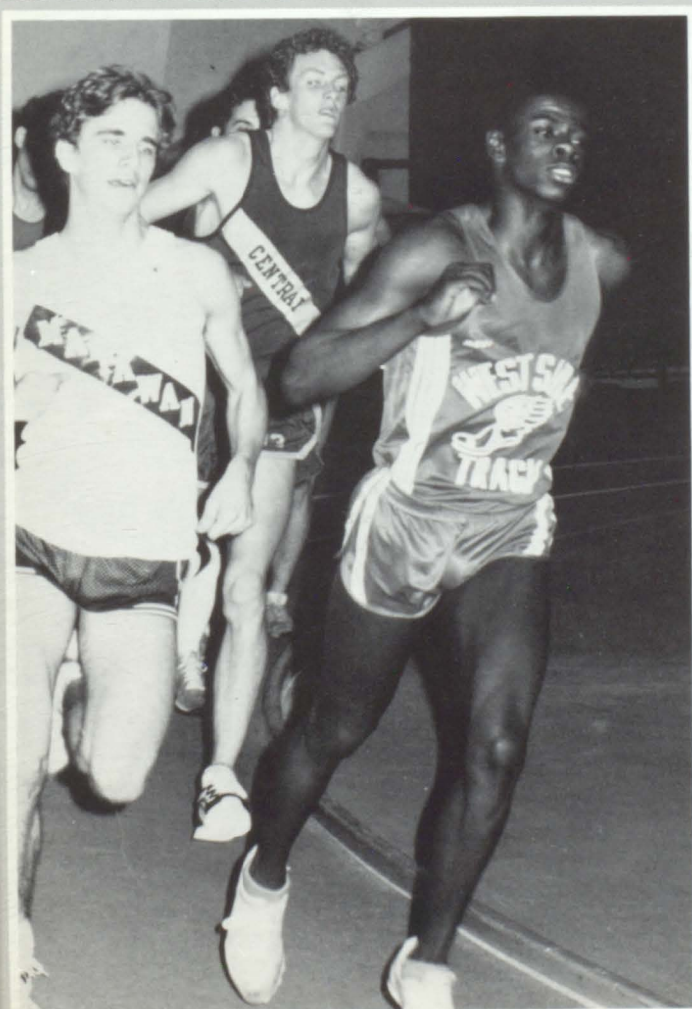
Co-captain --- Charlene Flounory—sprinting toward the finish line

Goes For The Gold

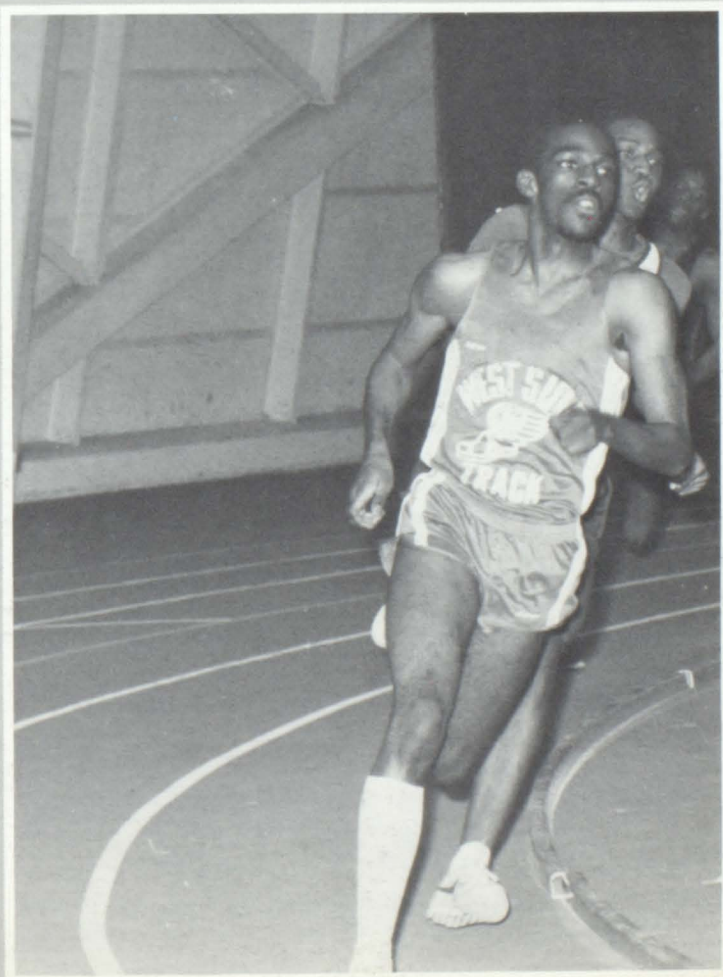


Standing (left to right): Keith Murray, Gregory Ferguson, Victor Colter, Keith Gant, Coach Stoney Kneeling (left to right) David Bethea, David Clark, John Wilder

Timing Keith Gant at Princeton Univ. in the state meet, while Victor looks on



Co-captain—David Clark—racing toward the finish line

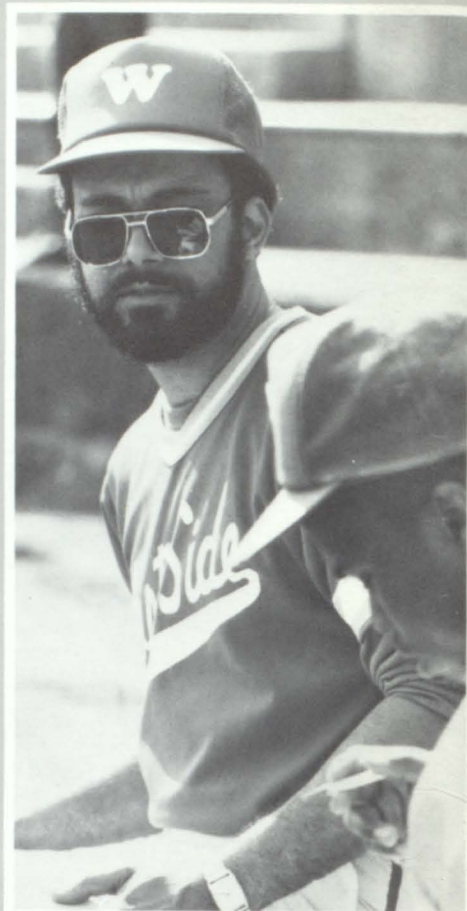


Team captain—Keith Gant—leading the field at the State Championship Meet

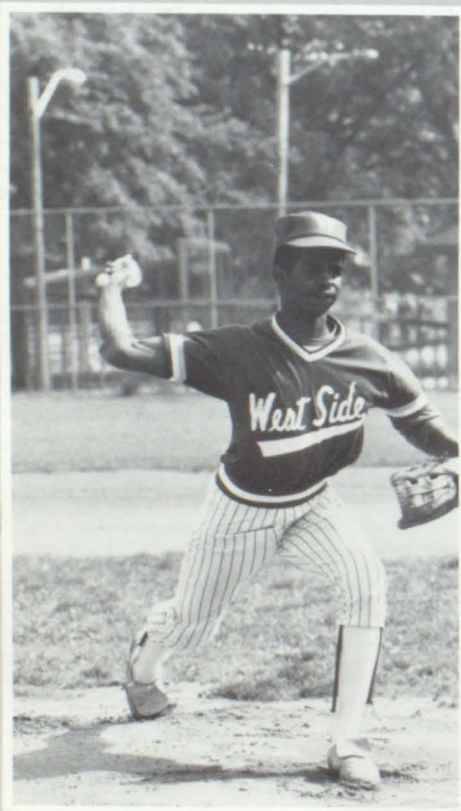
Baseball And Softball Teams



THE ROUGH RIDER BASEBALL TEAM 1984-85



Coach Howard Haynes instructs player



Robert Jackson throws a strike



Nate Bush runs to first base



Raymond Holte waits for pitch

Catch All Flies



Standing (left to right): Valerie Jones, Syeedah Lamb, Amanda Askins, Gale Buckman, Shyron Plush, Sandra Bright, Sharon Greene, Desiree McMiller, Kim Widemon Kneeling (left to right): Patricia Brown, Kendella Clark, Mona Singley, Brenda Hinton, Shawn Weatherington, Bonita Chandler



Coach Pete Repoli



Shyron Plush-Senior



Mona Singley-Senior



Juniors



Juniors

Theleah Addison
Darryl Alexander
Tanya Alexander
Bonita Anderson



Lisa Anthony
Delaine Bailey
James Baker
Sharon Baker



Stacey Banks
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Freddy Booker



Terrance Boyd
Desiree Bracewell
Mark Bragsdale
Anthony Brown



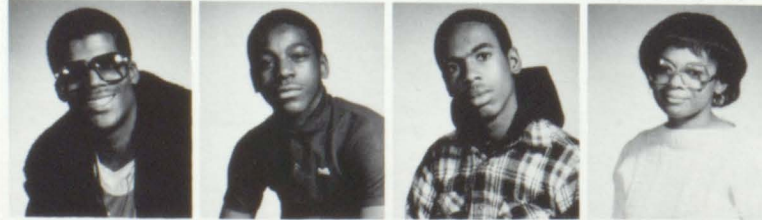
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Monica Brown
Patricia Brown
Rochelle Brown



Yvonne Brown
Sheila Bryant
Martha Bush
Sherma Bynum
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Lynette Carter



Andre Cheeks
Lorenzo Clark
Byron Clemens
Drema Cobbs
Victor Colter
Elijah Cotton



Emmanuel Cox
Leon Craig
Samantha Culver
Chenyce Cunningham
Dorthy Daniels
Rachelle Deloach



Three juniors waiting to skate.



Juniors



G. Fitzgerald, Jr. Class President



Terrance Dent
Terri Dillard
Kim Dixon
Monica Douglas



Renee Douglas
Renee Duggins
Darryl Earl
Teesher Ellis



Vickie Ellis
Juan Espinal
Shelly Everette
Alfonso Faulks



Delvonna Fields
Rosalyn Fields
Thomas Fisher
Giselle Fitzgerald



Curtis Flemming
Sharon Garrison
Carolyn Gibbs
Jonathan Gibbs



Leslie Gillen
Bernard Glee
Kiesha Gordan
Alicia Graham
Demetrius Gray
John Gray



Sharice Gray
Jeffrey Green
Melissa Green
Otis Green
Wayne Grimsley
Jubal Guarte



Lavern Harris
Ronald Hatten
Mark Henderson
Kevin Henry
Noreen Hightower
Alene Hill



Juniors

Angela Hill
Renada Holland
Calvin Hood
Diane Hutchinson



Tyrone Ingram
Anthony Jackson
Patricia Jackson
Terrance Jackson



Dawn James
Debra Jean
Michelle Jefferson
Donzell Johnson

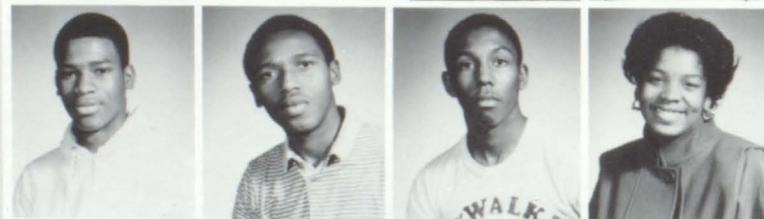


George Johnson

Gale Jones
Patricia Jones
Wilbert Jones
Dennis Kearney



Tyrone Kearney
Eugene LaMarr
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Robert Love
Lonzo Mace



Sandra Mack
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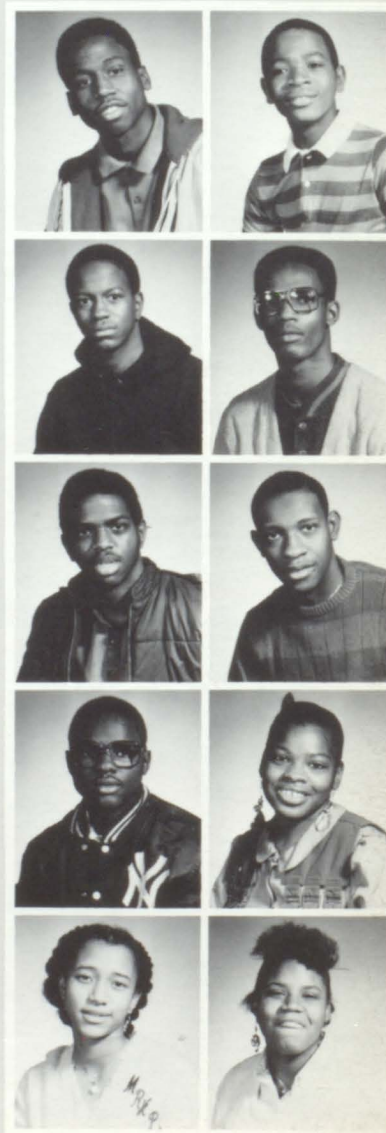
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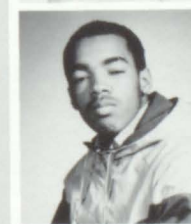
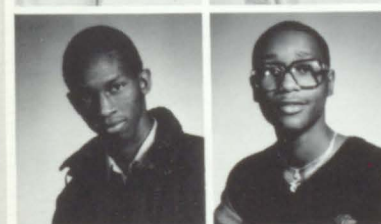
Yavonne Oglesby
Sheila Perkins
Matilda Peters
Bonita Peterson
Maxquitta Phelps
Kim Pointdexter



Juan Espinal studying notes.



Juniors



Lee Poile
Christine Powell
Hunter Reid
Nathaniel Richardson
Carmen Rivera
Avon Robertson

Jonathan Robinson
Terry Robinson
Victoria Rose
Eric Savage
Wanda Shepard
Curtis Smallwood

Jacqueline Smith
Stenith Smith
Maurice Snipes
Sharice Stevens
Paulette Street
Cassandra Suggs

Arlene Sutton
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Sherrie Taylor
Tracy Taylor
Darryl Terry
Orlando Vick

Andre Volious
Jason Walker
Valerie Wallace
Michelle White
Michael White
Sherone White

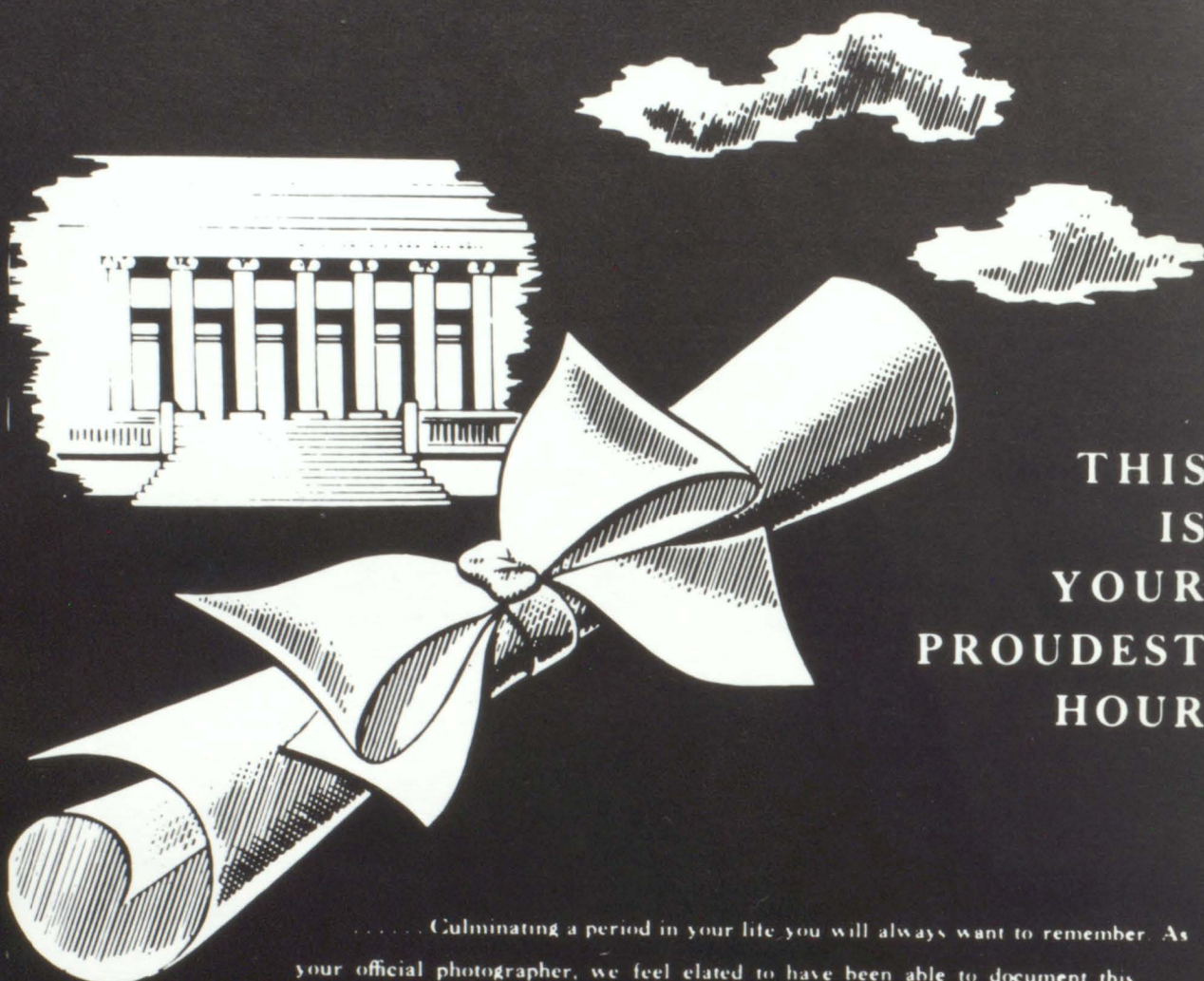
John Wilder
Darryl Williams
Denise Williams
Joe Williams

Laronda Williams
Calvin Wilson
Celestine Wilson
Raymond Wilson

Doris Winkey
Jeffrey Winstead
Mark Yancey



Some of the members of the Jr. Class Planning Committee



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HOUR

..... Culminating a period in your life you will always want to remember. As your official photographer, we feel elated to have been able to document this cherished era with photographs pulsating the very life you lived - the very thoughts you spread - the very feeling you so warmly and sincerely shared. This reality though captured in a split second will be an everlasting record for posterity.

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Congratulations Miss Sharon R. Hayden



★
Sharon, you have come a long way but you still have a ways to go. Don't let anyone of anything keep you from striving for a higher phrase in life. I know whatever you choose to be, you will be the best. Always remember the self adage- "Self-preservation is the first law of nature", and as I would say, "Ask not what someone can do for you, But what you can do for your-self". Congratulations! and good luck in the future.

Love always,
Your oldest sister,
Laverne

★
TO OUR FAVORITE AUNT:
Congratulations! and best of luck.
Your nephews,
Ha-keem and Ta-rell

★
CONGRATULATIONS SHARON!
You have accomplished what has now become for some people a great goal. Graduating from high school is great considering the other options that young Black people are turning toward. I am very proud of your accomplishment and I am proud of you. There are miles and miles to go but I am sure you will make it. Walk with thy Celestial Father and with my love as you cross the stage to receive your diploma.

All my love,
Alvin Hill
(Your Future Husband)

★
TO OUR BABY:
Congratulations to you after completing twelve years of school. We know it has been a long hard journey, but you've only just begun. There will be many hills and mountains to climb in life. Sometimes you will have to ask someone for strength to help you climb them. We love you very much and we are very proud of you. We wish you the best of luck in your future endeavors. Always remember that your mom is there with a listening ear and an understanding mind.

Love,
MOM & DAD

Congratulations Miss Carol T. White

Carol, Congratulations
with all of our love.
MOM & DAD

TO OUR BABY SISTER:

You have made us very
proud of you. Strive for
the best in life and you will
reach your highest goal.

Love,
Timmy and Gail

Congratulations Carol!
May your future be prom-
ising and full of success.

Love,
Timothy Ruffin

To My Youngest And Precious Sister:

I am wishing you the
very best of luck in all of
your endeavors.

Your brother,
Keith

Congratulations Carol!
May the light of success
shine your way.

Phyllis & Diane
Your loving sisters

TO OUR AUNT:

We wish you the best
of luck.

Your nieces and
nephews,
Aja, Sherri, A'shon,
Clayton,
Rasheed, Antwan,
and Jamie

Best wishes and Con-
gratulations on your
graduation.

Love Aunt Francis
Aunt Hazel
Aunt Emma

To my best friends Kim-
berly Davis, Sherri Greg-
ory, Michelle Booker, and
Sharon Hayden: Congrat-
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being there when I need-
ed you.

Love,
Carol



Congratulations Miss Michelle Kimber



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 Ms. Sheppard
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 Jeanette Thomas
 Peter West

Best Wishes Miss Roberta Hill

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 Wayne Burgess
 Cheryl S. Guissen
 George Hardin
 Paul Harris
 Gladys Hickman
 Doris Jackson
 KK Pharmacy (Cynthia)
 Matt Logan
 Barbara McClain
 Lenier McCreary
 Kevin O'Connor
 Eugenia Poindexter
 Lys H. Quatoize
 Arthur Raitos
 Ozzei Sanders
 Johnny Taylor
 Jessie Terrell
 John Proud Vines
 Durecia Watley ("Good Luck Rhoberta")
 Thomas D. Williams
 Mommy—"I'M PROUD OF YOU"



Best Wishes Miss Deborah Wilkerson

To Our Deborah:

The years have passed—where could they have gone? It seems like only yesterday we were marveling over your tiny body, now you are a mature young lady, who have brought many moments of joy into our lives. You are sometimes witty or solemn, but never begrudging.

May you remain as precious as you are. May you find peace and good fortune. May your joys be many and your sorrows few and in between. May you succeed in all of your endeavors. But most of all remember, in what ever walk of life your path might take you, our doors will always remain open.

Love,
Dad, Mom, Quincy, & Wanda



May Your Future Be Filled With Happiness Miss Shawne Edghill



Best wishes to our darling
daughter and sister Shawne.
The Edghill Family

Congratulations Shawne! We
love you dearly.

The Stewart Family
Weidaden, Germany

To a very sweet and, lovely
young lady whom I have the plea-
sure of being with. I wish you all
the luck and happiness in what
the future has in store for you.

Love always,
Greg

Shawne,

Maintain your lady-like demean-
or, it is indeed rare and refresh-
ing. For you I wish and expect only
the best. May your reach always
exceed your grasp.

Sincerely,
Mrs. L. Wright

Best Wishes Miss Delephia Heyward-Bey



To Our Lovely Daughter Delephia:

During your whole life we knew you would be our star that shined. Through hard work and dedication you turned out to be that beautiful young lady that were were so proud to bring into this world. Your senior year as WSH has proved to be an outstanding one. Through your many achievements, honors, and awards, we are so proud to congratulate you on being chosen as a NJ state distinguished scholar. Keeping the faith in God, our love, and yourself we know that there is no goal you won't achieve or no mountain top that you can't reach.

Love,
MOM & DAD

To Delephia:

Always remember in order to make it, you must always put God first in your life. Remember through him all things are possi-

ble. The road to success is a hard struggle, but I'M sure you will never cease to continue to reach for that sweet taste of success. May you always enjoy peace, prosperity, love, and happiness in all your future endeavors. Good luck and congratulations.

Love your sister,
Tawanna Heyward-Bey
Flournoy

Dearest Delephia:

The fortunes of this world are locked away in a vault. Its combination doesn't consist of a set of numbers, but of sleepless nights; nights spent not fantasizing about its contents, but of nights working to open the door. With an intense desire you can open that door. I know you can do it!

Love always,
Dwight Williams



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Class of 1985, a resident of West Side High School, declare this to be our Last Will and Testament, and revoke all former Wills and Codicils.

To: Mr. Potts, students who appreciate him.

Mr. Adler, an electric shaver.

Mrs. Cato, the Class of '86', a cleaner classroom, workable typewriters, prayer bench to continue to pray for people.

Ms. Edmonson, a book on "How to Smile".

Mr. Friedman, students who will keep a job.

Mr. Hankerson, a set of new jokes.

Mr. Hayes, West Side Boys Basketball team.

Mr. Kennedy, a tee-shirt that learns.

Ms. Jessie, a professional drama club.

Mrs. McClendon, a new piano, more tenors, basses and baritones.

Mrs. Miller, a file cabinet and a computer that checks term papers.

Ms. Prince, dresses, high heels and skirts.

Mr. Repoli, robots to teach his trig classes.

Ms. Royster, sympathy to her first class in the morning.

Mr. Stoney, another wonderful track team.

Mrs. Tyson, lots of love and thanks for the wonderful job she did in helping the Class of 1985.

Coach Whipps, fifty 200-pound freshmen.

Mrs. Wright, a fashion photographer to take pictures of all her outfits.

Mrs. Roslyn Watson, a slower pace.

Mrs. Glover, not a class in the same room with

Mrs. Cato, with all the interruptions

Mrs. Cray, a sense of humor.

Mrs. Austin, more determined students.

Mr. Andrews, some of Theresa Jones' hair.

Mr. Bernstein, Bill Blass suits.

Mr. Fatten, a winning Pick "6" ticket.

Mrs. Rhynes, a real Student Council.

Mr. Peloso, a strong back.

Mr. Malone, bullet proof vests, roller skates and youth pills.

Mr. Klass, controllable classes.

Mr. Schwab, a four-day work week.

Mrs. Anderson, all senior gym classes.

Mr. Alexander, a photography studio.

Mr. Thornhill, his personal doctor.

Mrs. Watley, a job as producer on Broadway.

Mr. Wakmundski, a garden of love.

Mr. JanTausch, no more false alarms.

Mr. Muller, a real bull.

Mr. F. Williams, a drugless school.

Mrs. Marilyn Northern, all of West Side's children.

Mr. Saperstein, a larger department.

Mrs. Gillet, five more nurses.

Mrs. Shirley Thomas, students with no problems.

Mr. Colwell, employees who enjoy working.

All security staff, chainless doors.

Mrs. Cherrine Thomas, 1300 more students to mother.

Mrs. Elizabeth Summers, a large art studio.

Mr. Jacob, a class of students who enjoy Physics.

Michelle Wilkins leaves Eugene Cady her involvement in class activities.

Zelma Pace leaves her boxing gloves.

Clarence Strickland leaves Mr. Peloso a new pair of shoes.

Catherine James leaves Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Cato and Mrs. Tyson 30 girls who enjoy popping gum.

Delores Hurst leaves all of Mrs. Miller's work to the juniors.

Audrey Bell leaves Mr. Avnet to the underclassmen, because he is a great counselor.

Deana Morris leaves the involvement she had as a senior to Giselle Fitzgerald and her space

in Mrs. Cato's car to Delaine Bailey.

Sandy Miller leaves her good looks to Tawana Hilliard.

Carol White leaves her lunch card to Freddie Booker.

Rhoberta Hill leaves hopes and dreams to all her friends.

Deborah Wilkerson leaves Giselle Fitzgerald the hard work of being a Class President.

Mrs. Tyson leaves Mrs. Jessie the many hard hours of being Senior Class Advisor.

The Class of '85' leaves Mrs. Cato and Mrs. Tyson their love.

This Will and Testament is subscribed by us on the twenty-fourth of June, 1985, at West Side

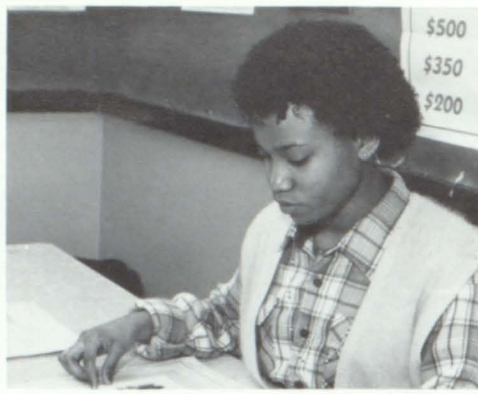
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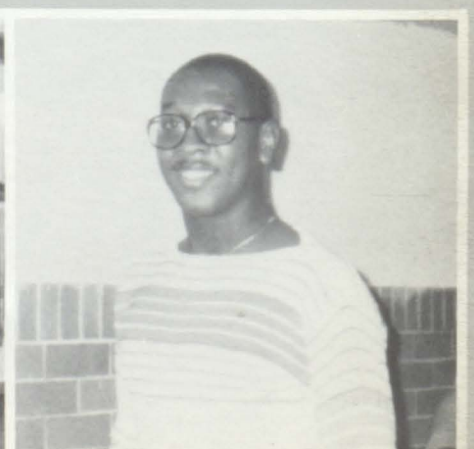
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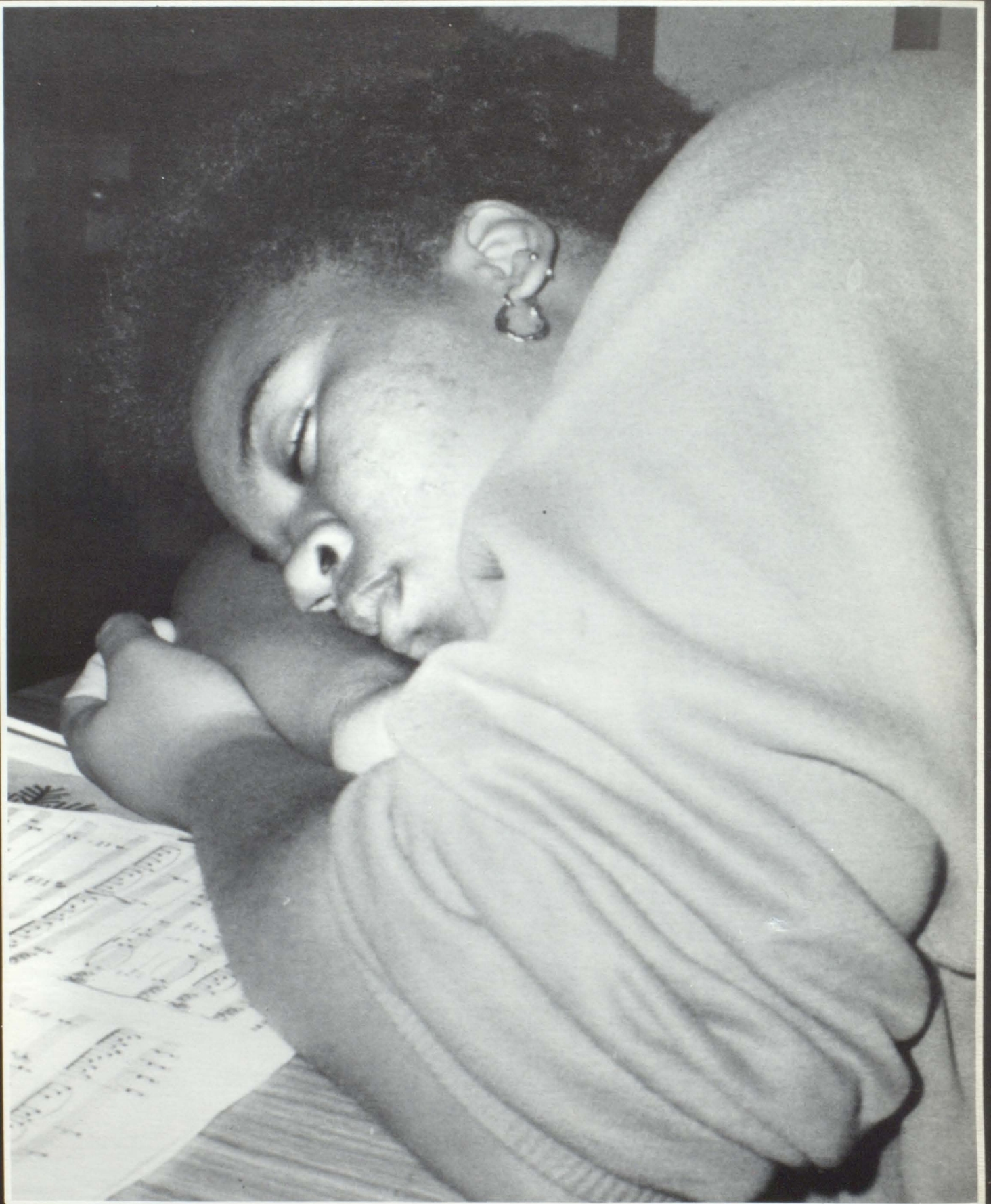
Carol confers with Mrs. M. H. Cato, Advisor

A long six-months of hard work and extensive planning in engaging photographers, doing layouts, poring over pictures, meeting deadlines, writing, editing, staff meetings and activities have finally come to an end. But before we close this book, we would like to personally thank the following persons for their untiring cooperation in helping us to produce a book of such high quality.

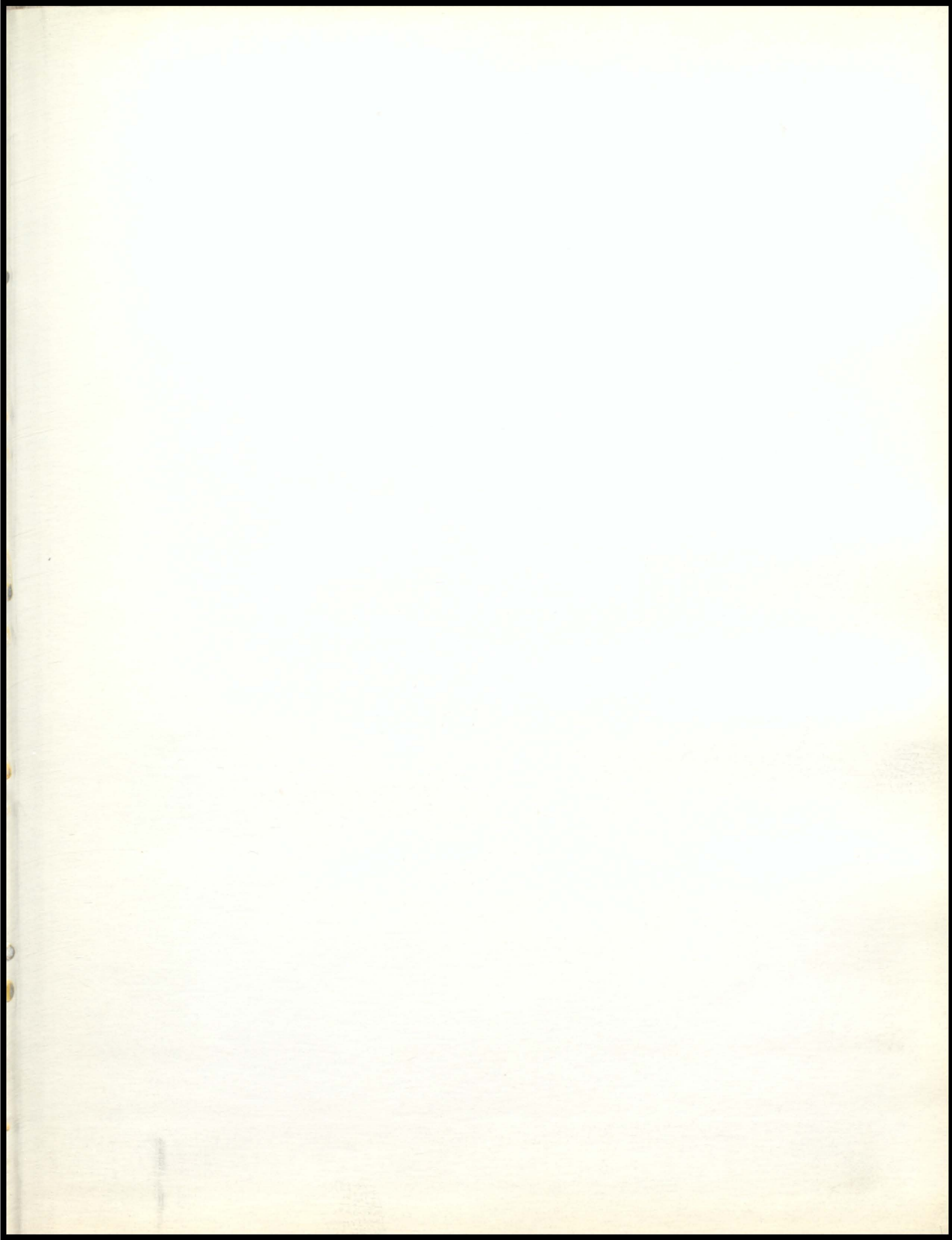
Thank you Mr. Nathaniel Potts for your support.
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 Thank you Mr. Richard Alexander for so graciously consenting to take pictures for us whenever we needed you.
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 Thank you Mrs. Alice Glover for letting us share Room 209 with you.
 Thank you coaches for your material.
 Thank you Mrs. Cato's classes for letting us share your room whenever we were available to work.
 Thank you Mr. Jack Saperstein for everything.
 Thank you yearbook staff for staying to the end.
 Thank you Mrs. Irene Miller for editing material whenever we needed you.
 Thank you Lorstan-Thomas Studios for your cooperativeness.
 Thank you Mrs. Bettye Tyson for being a super, dynamite advisor.
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 Thank you Class of 1985 for being the greatest! Good luck in all your endeavors!

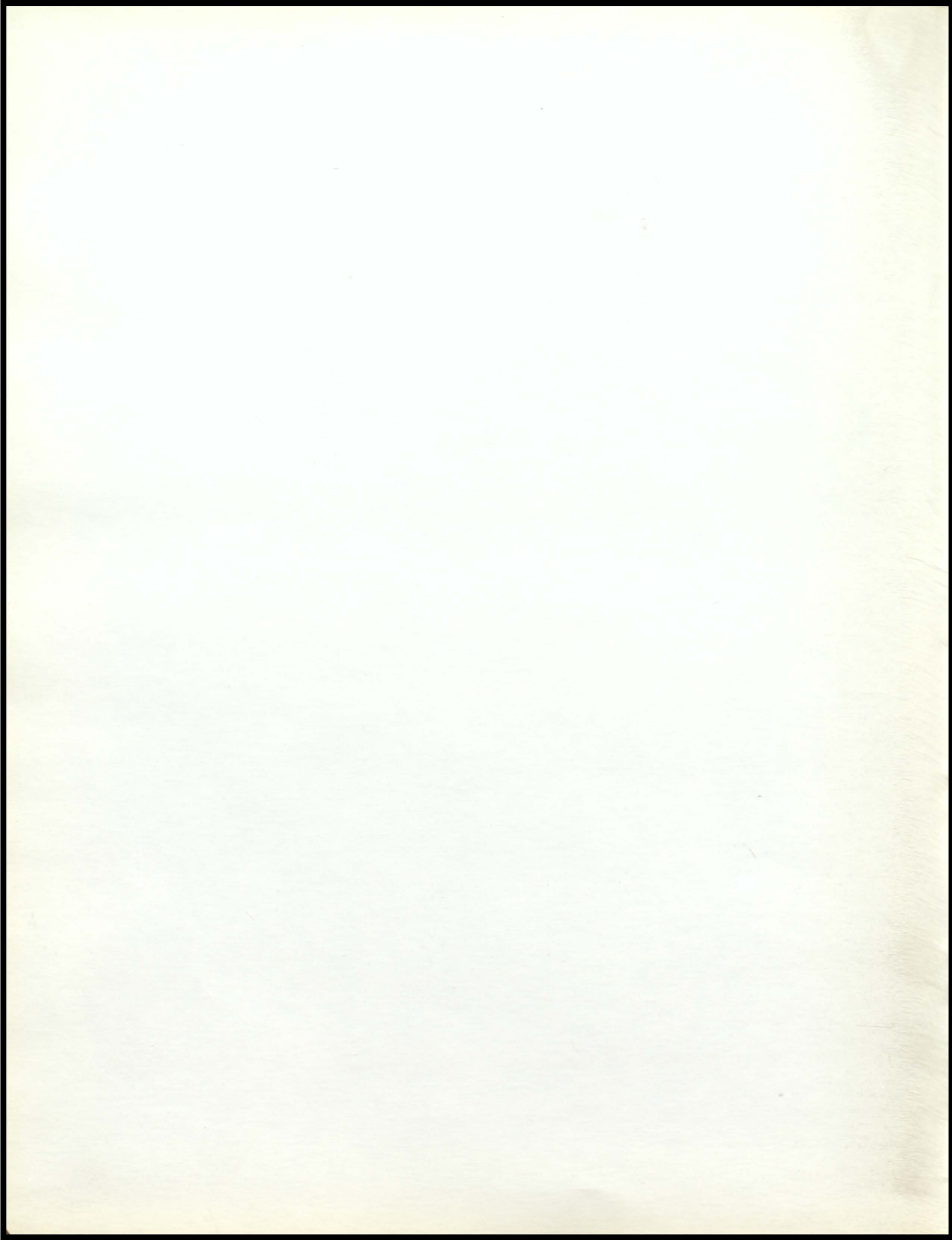
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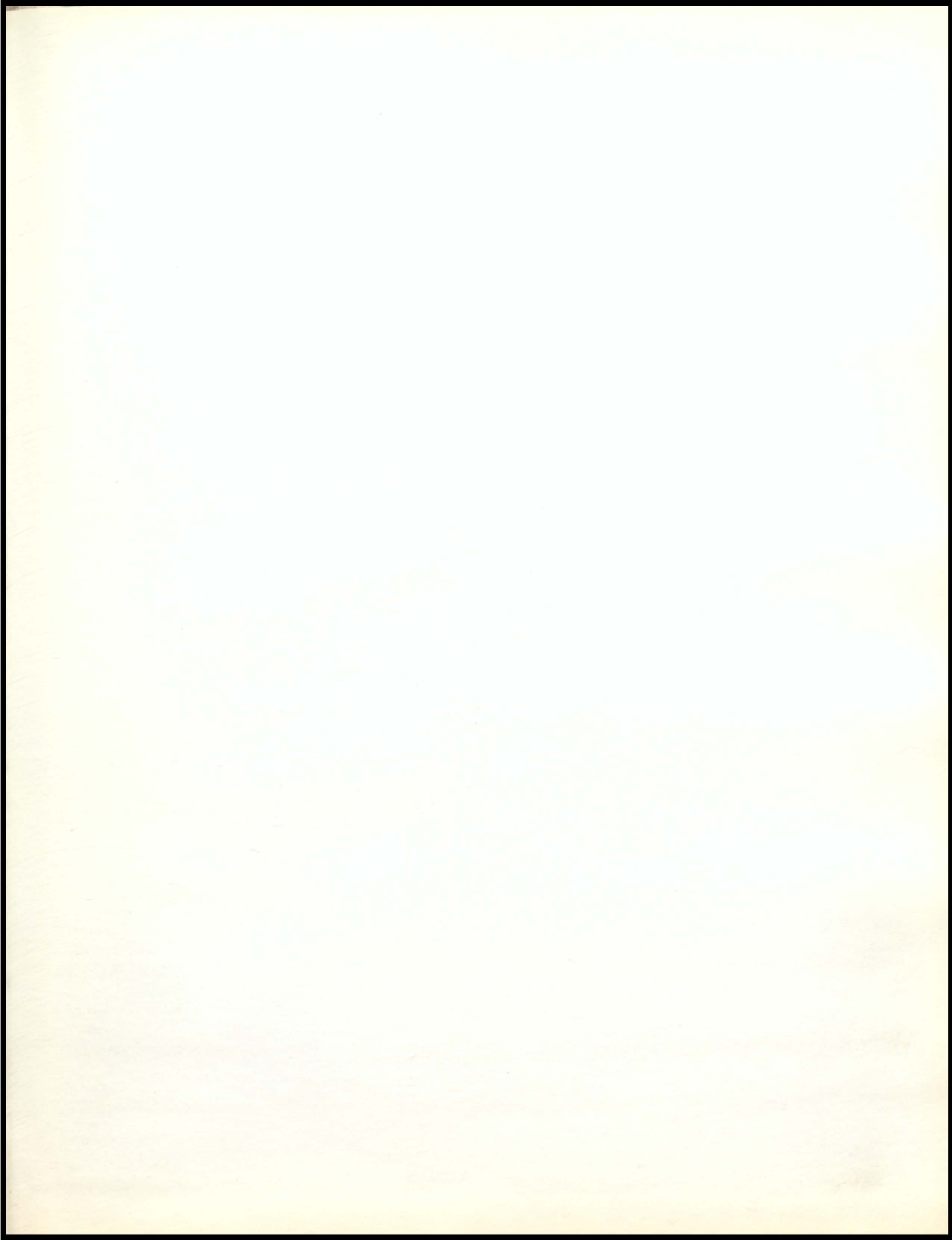
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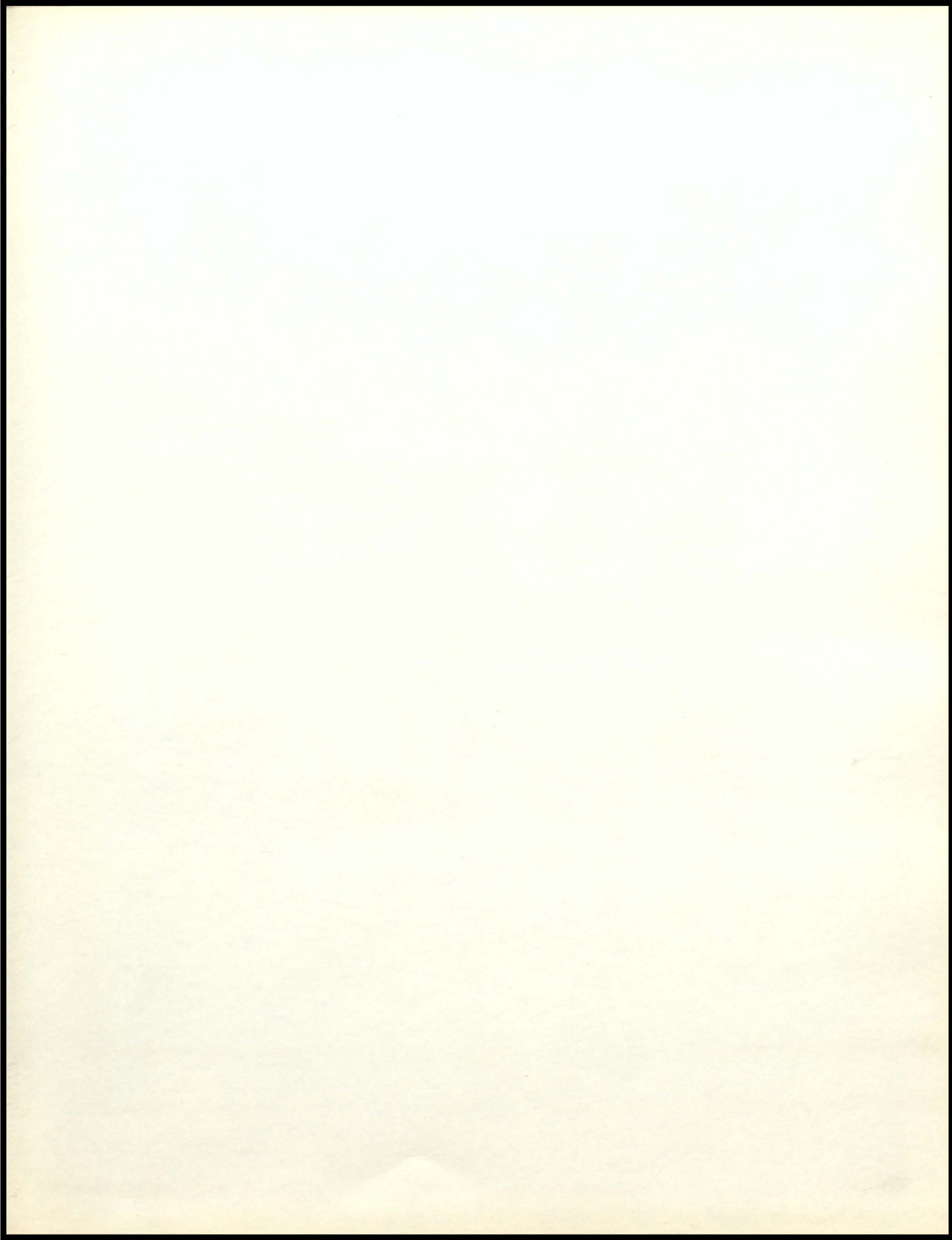


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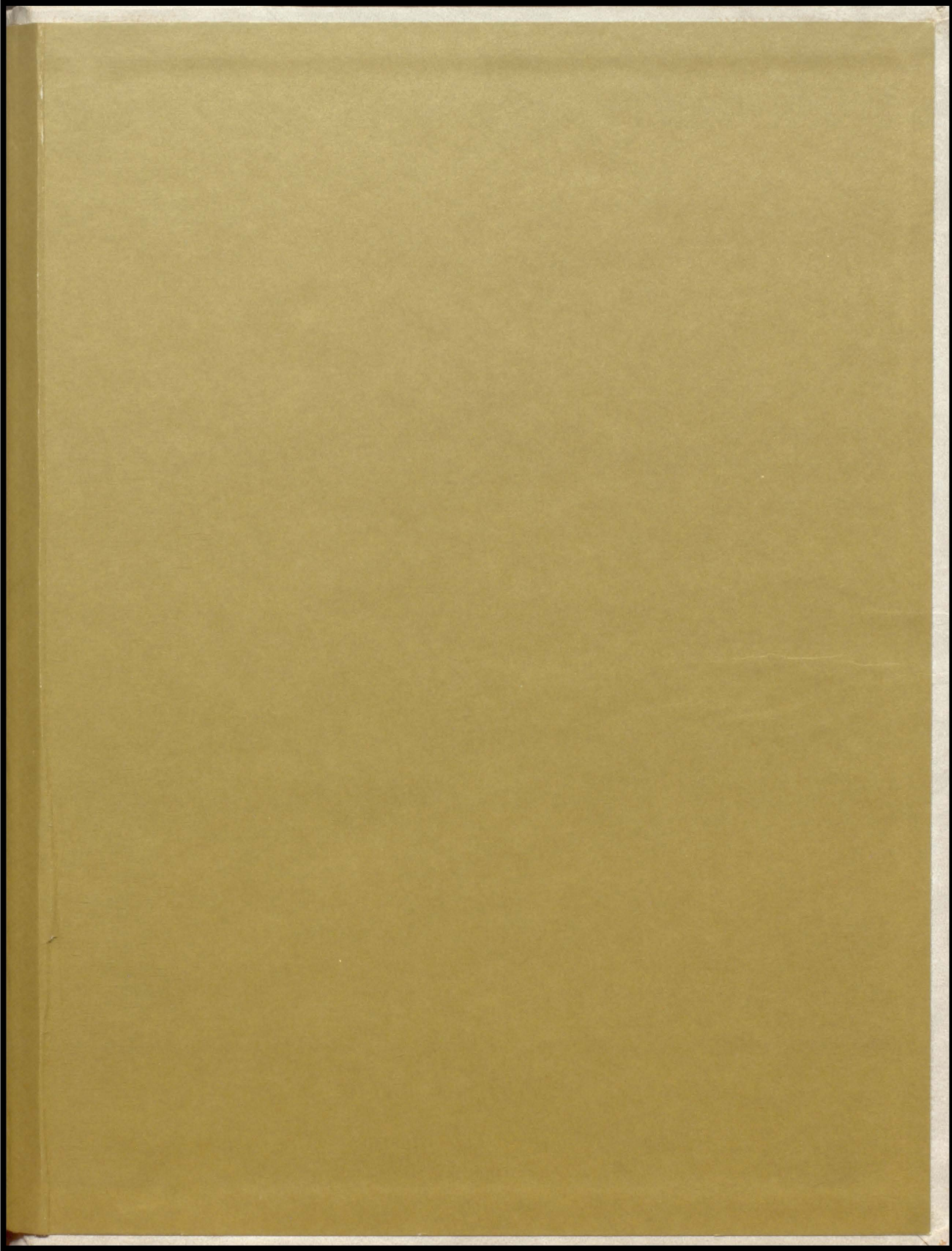












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